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#### \$200,000 SPORTS PROJECT.

DEEP WATER BAY SCHEME.

GOLF, TENNIS, BOWLS AND POLO GROUND.

#### SPORTS CLUB PLAN.

The ever-increasing demanfor the provision of facilities for outdoor games in Hongkong has led The Sports Club to take the important step of effecting provisional purchase of the Deep Water Bay property of the Green Island Cement Co., as result of which, the Telegraph is informed, it is intended to carry out a scheme for affording the large membership of the Club opportunities to indulge in many recreative pastimes.

In brief, the scheme is to form a and British Wircless. Country Club ground for The indulge in the varied pastimes for stances. which the Club was originally instituted.

#### To Cost \$200,000.

Tag Club has therefore been quick to seize this excellent opportunity of acquiring its own playing fields, and has already made a provisional purchase of the property. which covers an area of about 27 acres. The purchase only requires the sanction of the Government. which holds a lease on the property, and, in anticipation of this question being satisfactorily settled, a debenture list has already been

The object is to raise the sum of \$200,000, which it is estimated the preparation of the ground, the laying out of the various tennis courts. bowling greens, golf course, etc., the erection of a pavilion will demand. Debenture notices have been disstributed and are being issued at 90 on the following terms:-No interest for the first two years to be realised, but interest of 51/2 per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, subsequently. These will be redeemed in the customary way by drawing.

#### Polo Ground Also.

The scheme, as will at once be recognised, is an entirely private formulated by The Sports Club, whose intention it is to apply to the Government for the extension of the property, and into effect, immediately the initial transactions as to purchase are secured, the laying out of a ninehole golf course, sixteen ténnis courts, bowling greens and a polo ground. It is also hoped to erect a hand-

The work entailed to carry out

the scheme will take at least two years to accomplish. A great deal of preparatory site clearing is necessary and in some parts the grounds will have to be levelled.

The Sports Club was inaugurated the form of an International SOME OBJECTION TAKEN TO Club in December, 1928, and now boasts of a membership of over 250. Its headquarters are situated in King's Buildings, but owing to the lack of suitable sports grounds, the, activities of the Club have been somewhat restricted.

#### A Splendid Scheme.

of the new scheme which will undoubtedly meet with an enthusiatic response from the members, the Club will not only be in the position demands for outdoor recreation, and widen its scope for social activities, but will provide its members with some of the finest and most

Colony. The provision of a nine-hole golf course will prove a source of great satisfaction, and will add. , considerably to the existing sports amenities of Hongkong. That tennis is becoming more and more popular each year amongst the community is recognised in the intention to lay down no fewer than sixteen courts, and the provision of a polo ground will also be most acceptable?

The scheme is still in its infancy but for its enterprise The Sports Club will receive both the congratulations and the good wishes of the cent. as from July 1.—Our Own sport-loving public of the Colony.

#### PREMIER'S SALARY TOO SMALL.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS A £2,000 INCREASE.

#### FROM FIVE TO SEVEN.

London, July 30. The recommendation that the Prime Minister's salary should be increase from £5,000 to £7,000 per annum is made in the report from the Select Committee on Ministers' Remuneration. The Committee adds that the existing scale of salaries is in some cases anomalous and in others inadequate, and that a proper adjustment "would not involve any large increase of expenditure. Nevertheless, the Committee feels that the present time is inopportune for a general

The recommendation concerning the Premier is practically the only one made by the Committee, which suggests that the increase should be given without delay.-Reuter

The Committee was set up by Sports Club, which is international the Prime Minister last December in character and which, for the when he suggested that the coma past eighteen months of its exis- mittee should take the report of tence, has been without any facili- the committee of 1920 and consities, beyond those of a social der whether it required any modidescription, to allow its members to fication in the light of new circum-

The Committee of 1920 recommended that the Prime Minister's salary should be raised from five thousand to eight thousand pounds and that the salary of each of the two Law Officers should be reduced by two thousand pounds...

The 1920 Committee also recommended the following scale for Ministers: twelve at five thousand pounds, four at three thousand pounds, six at two thousand pounds, eighteen at fifteen hundred pounds, and three at one thousand

All Cabinet Ministers, irrespective of their office, were to receive five thousand pounds yearly.

#### LOOTING FOLLOWS FLOODS.

HUGE HAUL MADE BY DACOITS IN INDIA.

Karachi, July 30. A serious situation has developed in the Sind owing to the floods. Thirty thousand people have withdrawn to Sukkur, thousands have been rendered homeless and over a hundred villages have been sub-

Shikarpur from the north and west. ated, enormous damage has been Canton. done to crops, and there has been a great loss of cattle.

Three hundred Dacoits plundered houses at Khanpur which had been vacated by wealthy mersome club house, fitted with all chants, and looted property valued modern requirements and facilities. at sixty lakks of rupees .- Reuter.

#### CAUSES OF STRIKE IN FRANCE.

INSURANCE ACT.

Paris, July 30. The Minister of Labour, in an interview, expressed the opinion Sir Ernest Thompson is the chair-It is anticipated that as a result is attributable to the rise in the year. price of bread.

He admitted; however, that certain "adaptations" to the Act might be necessary and mentioned that to cope with the ever-increasing eight million workers had enrolled under the scheme.

It was reported yesterday that the strike movement in Rouen had noticeably declined and that numercomplete sports grounds in the ous workers had returned to their employment.—Reuter.

#### SHANGHAI HOUSE TAX.

FRENCH COUNCIL MAKES A

Shanghai, July 31. The French Council announced from Slaithwaite, Yorkshire yesterday that the municipal house tax would be reduced by one per Trade Development Council. Correspondent.

1 40 4

REDUCTION.

#### MISSION TO FAR EAST.

PERSONNEL COVERS A WIDE FIELD.

#### SIR ERNEST THOMPSON TO BE THE CHAIRMAN.

#### VISITS TO CANTON.

London, July 30. The personnel of the Economic Mission to the Far East has now been announced, together with the terms of reference. The principal duty of the Miswith China and Japan and to retaken to develop and increase British trade. The constitution of the Mission is as follows:

Sir Ernest Thompson (Chair-

man). Sir Thomas Allen. Lt. Col. Reginald Morcom.

Mr. James Bell. Mr. William Crowther. Mr. Louis Beale.

There is also a Cotton Section of the Mission which will also be under the Chairmanship of Sir Ernest Thompson. This Section will consist of:

Mr. James Bell. Mr. F. W. Birchenough, Mr. E. Duxbury.

Mr. J. L. Edmondson.

Mr. George Green. Mr. Arthur Reiss.

Mr. Joseph Wild. The Cotton Mission will assist the Economic Mission so far as inquiries relate to cotton goods and will report what action should he taken to develop and increase British trade in these goods.

Mr. G. M. Gillett, Parliamentary Secretary to the Overseas Trade Department, announced in the House of Commons to-day that the Mission, would pay a visit to Japan and, to some extent, this would be a courtesy visit in return for the Japanese Mission to Great Britain.

#### Visits in China.

After visiting Japan the Mission would proceed to China and call on the Nationalist Government at Nanking. The Mission would The waters are now closing in on | spend several months visiting, among other places. Shanghai. An area of 150 square miles from Hankow (if possible), Northern the river to Shikarpur is inundu- China and the district around

He pointed out that the Mission includes members of the cotton, wool and engineering (iron and steel) industries, and also of the co-operative movement. Lancashire, he said, was granting £6,000 towards the expenses of the Mission.

In conclusion, Mr. Gillett stated that despite the situation in China the country's import trade was progressively increasing annually and Britain was not taking her proper place in this advance. It would be the principal duty of the Mission to suggest remedies.

#### The Personnel.

that the strike in Northern France, man of the Executive Joint Comwhere 80,000 men are still out, is mittee of the Cotton Trade Or- and merchants have approved of not really so much directed against ganisation. He is also a shipping the resolutions passed by the the National Insurance Act, but merchant and was knighted last Asiatic Planter's Association last

Chairman of the Co-operative Wholesale Society, chairman of the Co-operative Insurance Society, the New Zealand Produce Association and the Parliamentary Committee of the Co-operative

is a director of Lloyd's Bank Ltd. mended that the Government, in agreement relating to merchant and of Belliss and Morcom Ltd. He is chairman of the British Electrical and Allied Manufacturers' Association and Vice President of land for rubber cultivation for a legislation.—British Wireless. the F.B.L.

Mr. James Bell, formerly Labour member for the Ormskirk Division of Lancashire, is the secretary of ners Amalgamation. the United Textile Factory Workers' Association.

Mr. Louis Beale represents the tion of Calicab Printers.

nected with the Operative Spin-Employers Association,—Reuter. Conference.—Reuter.

#### DEATH OF DR. P. B. COUSLAND.

HONOURED BY UNIVERSITY OF HONGKONG.

#### TRANSLATION WORK.

Shanghai, July 31, The death occurred at Victoria on July 7 of Dr. Philip B. Cousland, M.B., C.M. upon whom the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws of the University of Hongkong was conferred on January 20, 1925.

Dr. Cousland was 'one of the oldest medical missionaries China before he left the country. He took his M.B. degree at Edinburgh in 1883 and came out to sion is to inquire into the pre- | China in 1886 to the English Pressent condition of British trade byterian. Mission at Swatow. Early in his career he became assoport on what action should be clated with the work of translating western medical books into Chinese and his name was definitely established as a pioneer in this work of British Commonwealth under utility and scholarship. ..

> He was at one time editorial secretary to the Chinese Medical Translation Committee and author of several medical works. ' He was also actively connected with the general work of the China Medical Missionary Association. He was also secretary and treasurer in 1907 and its President from 1910 to 1913. He contributed many scientific papers of general medical interest to the Association's journal. Probably Dr. Cousland's most notable work was rendering into

#### AMERICAN WARNING TO CHINA:

Reserves all Rights if Lives Are Lost.

#### NATIONALS AT TAIAN.

Washington, July 30. The State Department announces that the Nanking Government has been cautioned that if it permits the loss of American life and property in Tajan and Shantung the American Government will reserve all rights in the matter.

The caution follows the report that four Americans in: Taian, and also American Mission property, are endangered by bombing raids .--Reuter's American Service.

Chinese idiom all medical terms which had formed the basis for the teaching of medicine to Chinese. to be translated into Chinese. He attended the Hongkong Medical Conference in 1925.—Our Own Correspondent.

#### RUBBER RESTRICTION METHODS.

#### RESOLUTIONS ENDORSED BY CHINESE OWNERS.

Singapore, July 30. Chinese rubber estate owners week. One resolution was Sir Thomas Allen is the Vice favour of requesting the Government to legislate to provide for the review of the work of the Imperial restriction of rubber production | Shipping Committee and the Overby the periodical stoppage of tap- seas Mechanical Transport ping or by the re-introduction of Council, a survey of steamship the Stevenson scheme, such services, the development of civil similar legislation is effected in activity and postal news service. the Dutch East Indies and Ceylon. Under this heading would come Lt. Col. Reginald Keble Morcom The Association also recom- also the question of the proposed conjunction with the Governments shipping legislation recommended vice. of the Dutch East Indies and in the report of the conference Ceylon, should refuse to alienate on the operation of Dominion period of years .- Reuter.

Mr. William Crowther comes Association and

#### WIDE IMPERIAL REVIEW.

Library, Supreme Court

AGENDA FOR COMING CONFERENCE.

#### COLONIES' DELEGATES TO GIVE VIEWS.

#### EIGHT HEADINGS.

London, July 30. When asked in the House of Commons to-day for a statement as to the agenda of the Imperial Conference, the Prime Minister replied that the conference tors. would afford an opportunity for of all matters, both in economic and political spheres, of common interest to the members o the following heads:

Firstly, inter-Imperial relations Secondly, foreign policy and

Thirdly, economic questions. As regarded inter-Imperial relations, particular questions fo consideration would be the recommendations of the recent conference on the operation Dominion's legislation, including certain matters expressly mentionas requiring further examination, opened. The money had not been namely nationality and a suggested tribunal for the determination of inter-Imperial disputes.

There were also other matters of a constitutional character relating to and arising from the discussion on the report of the Inter-Imperial Relations Committee the Conference of 1926. married women would be included.

#### Foreign Policy.

and arbitration policy. This head- negative. ing would include the question of No-one came forward in Court ed in neighbouring ports. the reduction and limitation of to oppose the application, so specific subjects connected with on order for winding-up. aspects of defence as well.

trade within the Empire, including out of the assets. capital investments and the establishment of branch industries, the effect of successive tariff changes and the extent and effect of inter-Imperial tariff preference His labours enabled standard works and also of other factors such as cartels, etc.

#### Oversens Settlement.

Secondly would come bulk purchase and price standardisation, and thirdly developments of inter-Imperial trade by Trade Commissioners' services and expert and general publicity. Fourthly would missed for 121. be overseas settlement, and fifthly past and future work of the Imperial Institute.

co-operation in agricultural re- credit.-Reuter. search including cotton growing, forestry and minerals. Seventhly, special meetings of experts on industrial research and standardisation, and eightly transport and communications, including a legislation not to be enforced until aviation, cable, radio; broadcast

#### Views of Colonies.

London, July 30.

In reply to questions in the Mr. E. Duxbury represents the House of Commons to-day. Dr. United Textile Factory Workers Drummond Shiels stated that a number of unofficial representa-

#### INSOLVENT LOCAL BANK.

COURT GRANTS PETITION FOR WINDING-UP.

#### LIKELY DIVIDEND.

An application on a creditor' petition for the winding-up by the Court of the Industrial and Commercial Bank, Limited, was granted by the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp) in the Supreme Court this morning. The petition stated that the assets and liabilities of the ginal capital was lost and it was expected that on realisation the company could not pay more than 80 per cent, of liabilities to credi-

No 18a, Queen's Road Central. Mr. Sheldon read the petition

which stated that the company was incorporated on March 30, 1917 with the registered office at No. 13, Chater Road. The nominal capital was \$5,000,000 divided into 1,000,000 shares of \$5 each. .The amount of capital paid up or credited as paid up was \$1,433,470. After setting , forth the objects of the company, the petition continued that the company was indebted to petitioner in the sum of \$5,009,82 due on a current account. Petitioner had made appli- the vehicle. cation for payment, but the company closed its doors at 9.30 a.m. ed in the report of that conference on July 2, 1930, and had not re-

> The petition concluded that the company was insolvent and unable

to pay its debts. Counsel referred to two affidavits in support of the petition filed by Mr. Lum Luen-fong, a partner in the petitioning firm, and explained that the Official Receiver was appointed provisional liquidator with power to apply for the special question of the position of appointment of special managers. On his application, Mr. J. Hen- The report then goes on to give

foreign policy which might require Mr. E.P.H. Lang then applied (Straits currency) and Shanghai an examination, and the varied for an order that Mr. Seth and Mr. Tls. 52. Ross continue as special managers. On the economic side the follow- and his Lordship granted the aping would be the main headings. plication. He directed that the Firstly, the general question of costs of petitioning creditor be paid

#### SOMERSET AGAINST AUSTRALIANS.

JACKSON AND BRADMAN MAKE A STAND.

London, July 30. Somerset batted first in their match with the Australians as Taunton to-day but they could do little against the Tourists' bowling and the whole team was dis-

At the close of play Australia had made 136 for the loss of one wicket, Jackson and Bradman be-Sixthly would come questions of ling not out with 57 and 71 to their

#### QUAKE SHOCKS FELT IN U.S.A.

PANAMA CANAL ZONE

New York, Joly 80. Two earthquake shocks rocked Panama city and the canal zone at about two o'clock this afternoon. Buildings were shaken and there was a wild panic, but according to the Associated Press there was no 50 cwt., \$120; over 50, and under damage.-Router's American Ser-

#### ONE-THIRD SALARY AT 2s. 6d.

EXCHANGE COMPENSATION IN SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, July 31. The Shanghai Municipal Council Mr. J. L. Edmondson the Federa- tives of the Colonies would be in- last evening approved a motion for vited to hold themselves available the payment of one-third of the Mr. Arthur Reiss and Mr. Joseph for consultation on economic salaries of Municipal officers at an Mr F. W. Birchenough is con- Wild represent the Wigan Cotton questions during the Imperial exchange rate of 2s. 6d. as from July 1.—Our Own Correspondent.

#### REVISED MOTOR TAXATION.

Pedder Bidg.

LATEST HONGKONG PROPOSALS.

00 PER CENT. INCREASE FOR SOLID-TYRED LORRIES.

#### PETROL TAX YIELD.

New proposals for the taxacompany were such that the ori- tion of public motor-cars and motor lorries are outlined in a Sessional Paper which is being aid before the Legislative Counthis afternoon. Private The application was made by vehicles are not affected. As a Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by result of the revised fees and the a general review and a discussion Mr. J. T. Prior, of Messrs. Wilkin- petrol tax, the total revenue is son and Grist, on behalf of a peti- expected to be \$484,044, compartioning creditor, the Prince's Cafe, ed with the present revenue of

\$161,717. The proposals are outlined in a report by the Inspector General of Police on the existing taxation of motor vehicles in Hongkong as compared with taxation in force in neighbouring and other coun-

#### No Horse-Power Tax.

It is explained that since the inception of motor taxation in Hongkong, the rates of taxation have been based on the weight of

Committee was formed in 1928 to consider the basis on which the tax on motor vehicles should be assessed. The Committee recommended a tax on horse-power. This is, however, not considered to be a satisfactory form of motor taxation and it has since been decided that the best method would be to place a tax on petrol leaving the annual registration fees based on the weight of the vehicle, or in the cases of public vehicles at a nominal figure with a

senting tax. nessy Seth and Mr. S. H. Ross comparisons of fees in force in were appointed special managers. Hongkong and other centres in His Lordship asked if anyone respect of private motor cars, and As regards foreign policy and had given notice of wishing to at- states that from the examples defence, the agenda would cover a tend the application or to oppose given it will be seen that the rates further development of the peace it, and Mr. Sheldon replied in the charged in Hongkong compare very favourably with those charg-

A car weighing one ton would armaments, together with any his Lordship said he would make be taxed in Hongkong at \$24. Canton \$120, Singapore \$42

#### Public Cars & Taxis.

Dealing with public cars and taxis, comparisons are made with Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai, Singapore and the F.M.S. The Hongkong rate is now \$72 per annum for cars not exceeding 30 cwt., and \$120 for cars exceeding 30 cwt. and not more than 60 cwt. New proposals for the taxation of public motor vehicles and taxis in Hongkong have been formulated. These are: Registration fee of \$5.00 per annum plus a seating

#### tax of \$5.00 per seat per annum. Motor Buses.

Comparisons on a more extensive scale are made in respect of motor buses, European countries and U.S.A. being included. The present Hongkong rate is \$120 per annum for buses not exceeding 40 cwt. and \$240 above that weight, plus a seating tax of \$10 per seat. The new proposals regarding this class of vehicle, are:-Regis-

#### per annum. Motor Lorries.

tration Fee for all weights, \$5 per

annum; Seating Tax, \$10 per seat

There are also many comparative figures given in respect of motor forries, the present rates for which in Hongkong are:-Solid. tyred forries under 15 cwt., \$24 per annum; over 15 cwt. and under 90 cwt., \$240; pneumatic tyred. lorries under 90 cwt. 324.

The proposed new scales for pneumatic tyred lorries in Hongkong:—under 50 cwt., \$60.00 per annum: over 50 cwt. \$120.00 per annum.

For solid tyred vehicles 100% in excess of the present fees i.e.:-Under 50 cwt., \$240.00 per annum; over 50 cwt. \$480.000 per annum.

#### Effect of Proposals.

Estimated effect of the revision of Public Car, Bus and Lorry Fees and the introduction of a tax of 15" (Continued on Page 7.)

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#### PUBLIC MONEY VOTES.

AID FOR THE SALVATION ARMY HOME.

\$124,203 WANTED.

At to-day's meeting of the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council H.E. the Governor will present for consideration several items of supplementary expenditure for 1930, amounting in all to \$124,203.

The sums required for the various items are as follows: Treasury, Personal Emoluments

The Secretary of State for the Colonies has selected Mr. Edwin Taylor of Sierra Leone to fill the post of Deputy Treasurer in Hong-kong at a salary of £1,200 per annum.
Mr. Taylor left England on 29th May,

A supplementary vote is requested to cover his salary from 29th May to 31st December, 1930.

Imports and Exports Department: Other Charges: Laboratory Stores

Certain items of apparatus and chemicals are urgently required by the imports and Exports Department in connexion with the collection of Liquor and Tobacco Duties and also for the Tax on Petrol. No funds for this expenditure were provided in the 1930 estimates. A vote of \$1,000 is requested for the purchase of the

stores required.

His Excellency the Governor: Incidental Expenses \$2,000.

This vote becomes necessary as the expenditure for the first half of the year was unexpectedly heavy, and the balance on the sum voted in the Estimates amounts to \$385 only.

Miscellaneous Services: Broad-

casting \$9,600. The present monthly subsidy to the Broadcasting Programme Committee

is \$200 per month. This sum has been found inadequate and its increase to \$1,000 per month is recommended. From this sum will be paid the salaries of all employees in the Studio with the result that two Electricians now working there would be released for their proper work elsewhere where their services are urgently needed.

Railway Personnel. Kowloon-Canton Railway: Personal Emoluments \$4,070.

The conditions of pay and service for locomotive drivers on the British section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway were investigated early this year and the Finance Committee at a meeting held on 22nd May, 1930, informally agreed that certain recommendations (to be adjusted to the Salaries Report if adopted) should take effect as from 1st May.

The recommendations take this final

form: (a) To increase the existing staff by 2 additional 2nd Class drivers and 3 additional firemen. (b) The present 70-hour standard week to be abolished and a 60-hour week instituted, overtime at the rate, of 1/3120th (1) Alterations for Houseof annual salary per hour being paid for all time worked after 60-hours. (c) The Allowances of \$1 per night to Drivers and 50 cents to the Firemen of the express engine which stays overhight at Canton to be increased to \$2 and \$1 respectively and an allowance to be granted of \$1 per return trip to the Drivers and 50 cents to the Firemen making a return trip

to Canton in one day. Details of Cost. (n)-Additional Staff. additional 2nd Class

Drivers @ \$540 p.n. ...\$1,080 3 additional firemen @ \$330 per annum ..... 990 (b)-Overtime Allowance. On new basis of 60 hours

weekly ...... 1,925.14 On increments Probable overtime on additional men mentioned

Total for 12 months . .\$6,103.90

Additional amount required from 1st May to 31st December, 1930, 2/3 .....\$4,069.27 Miscellaneous Services: Miscel-

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School Amenities.

Public Works Extraordinary:
Buildings, Central British School.
General improvements to necessary
requirements to the School \$6,000.
In the opinion of the Education
Board the following improvements are urgently necessary for improving the efficiency and amenities of the Central British School, namely:

Furniture) ..... \$ 1,400 (2) Increased Class Rooms (including Furniture) .... 2,500 Additional Lavatories (in-

cluding all fittings) ..... 1,000 Sunblinds .... Alterations to windows ... Alterations to Shelving ...

The above is to be met from savings under Head 31, Kowloon British School. Works Extraordinary:-

Kowloon, Buildings; Garage-Disinfecting Station, Garage for motor lorries at Kowloon Disinfecting Station \$5,000. At the present there is no garage

accommodation available for 4 lorries that are about to arrive for duty in Kowloon and it is therefore essential that provision be made for their housing as early as possible—the garage will form part of a scheme for the future enlarging of the station. The above is to be met from savings under head 31, sub-head 46, Kowloon Hospital, Maternity Block, Site Formation and Building.

The Reclamation. Public Works Extraerdinary: Con-In June, 1929, the Finance Committee approved of the preparation of a new text book of documentary Chinese for inclusion in the syllabus of Cadet Officers and Police Probationers, but the \$500 voted at that time was not paid and has lapsed. The book is now complete but it is found that the Gaol, owing to pressure of other work, cannot undertake the printing for a considerable period. The Government Printers have quoted \$1,025,775.40 as against the estimate of \$1,095,000 as stated on page 83 of the 1929 Estimates.

The position of the Government



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account is as follows: Total expenditure as stated above ....\$1,025,775.4 Deduct amount spent to end

of 1929 ...\$800,575 4th and 5th calls paid in 1929 ..... 64,046

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Proportionate amount of Interest and Permit Fees including (Continued on Page 11.)



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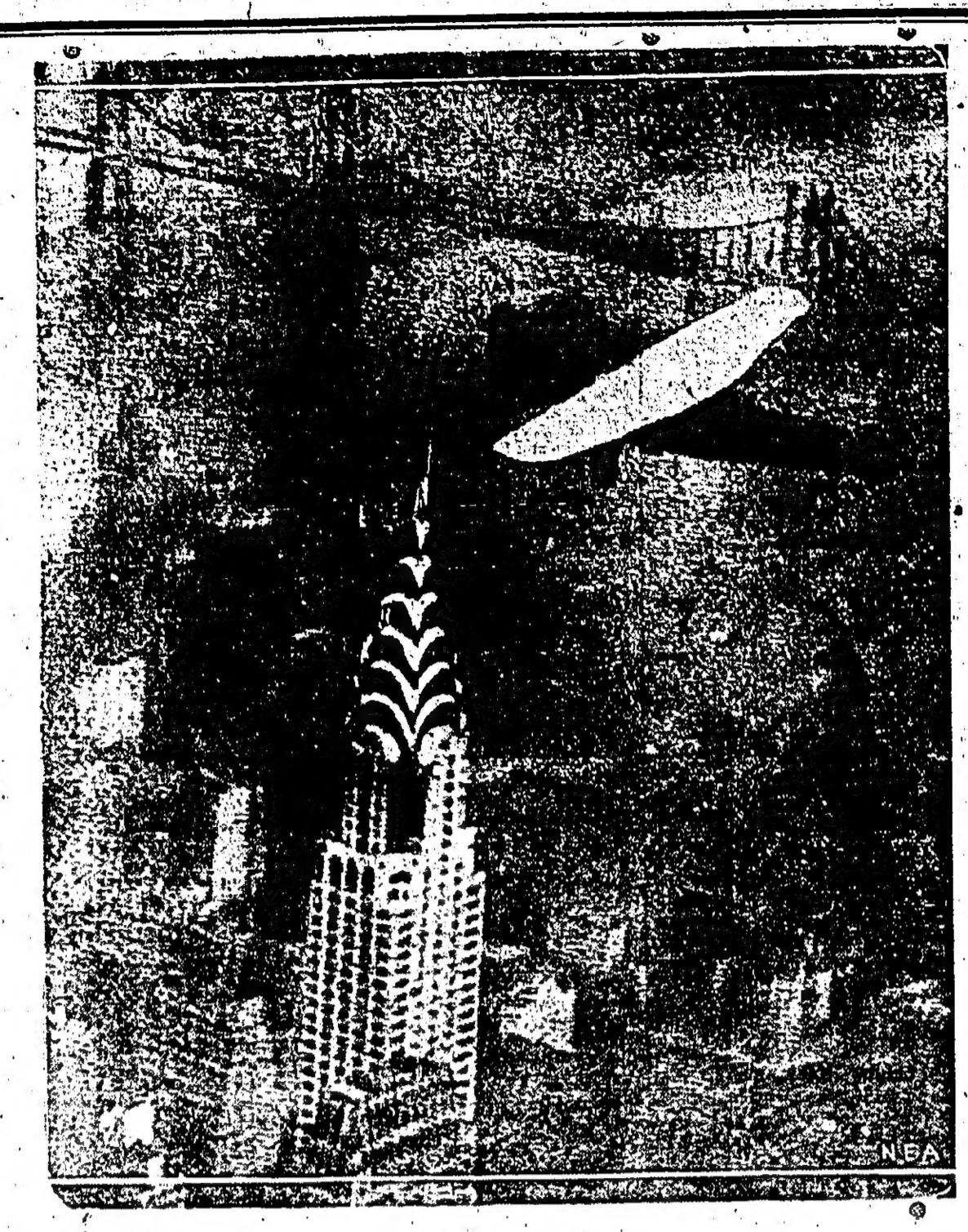


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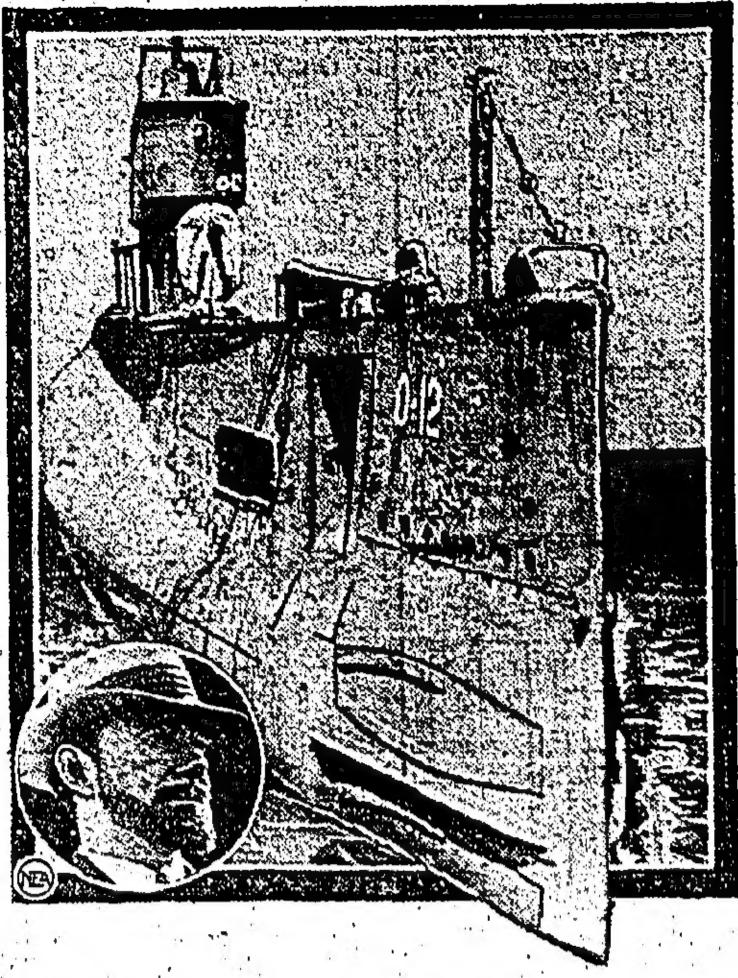
A striking picture of the Southern Cross passing over New York after completing the east to west flight across the Atlantic. The new Crysler Building is in the foreground with Brooklyn Bridge in the background.



The travel-stained quartet that brought veteran Southern Cross safely to ground at Roosevelt Field, Long island, after completing flight from Port Marnock Beach, Ireland. Left to right: Maj. Kingsford-Smith, John W. Stannage, radio operator; Anthony Fokker, designer of Southern Cross, and Evert Van Dyk, co-pilot.



Rumania's prodigal monarch, Carol II. as he rode in regal splendor through the streets of Bucharest after the amazing coup d'etat which brought him home to claim the throne he once renounced. The new ruler is shown at the left in military garb. At the right, in the uniform of a general in the Rumanian Air Force, is his younger brother, Prince Nicholas.



Sir Hubert Wilkins the noted explorer, shown in inset, has chosen the United States submarine 0-12, now out of commission, for his projected undersea expedition into Arctic regions. The craft will be recommissioned and specially equipped for the journey.



The camera caught the former Edda Mussolini, daughter of Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy, and her husband Count Ciano, during their wedding trip to Capri, off the Italian coast.



Henry Ford was a guest of Sir Wilfred Grenfell, famous humanitarian, aboard the schooner "George B. Cluett" just before the ship sailed on its relief mission to Labrador. The automobile magnate is shown here at the wheel.



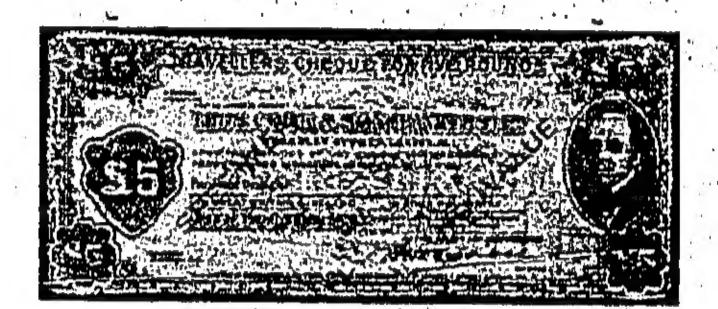
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W. E. HOLLANDS, Hon. Secretary.

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"Carmen Suite,"-Gypsy Dance.
"Carmen Suite,"-Intermezzo. Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. 'Carmen Suite,"-Soldier Changing the Guard. "Carmen Suite,"-March of the Smug-

"Off to Philadelphia." "Chorus Gentlemen." Percy Heming-Baritone. "Tambourin 'Chinols."

"Thais"-Meditation. Fritz Kreisler-Violin Solo. (6844). "Faust-Ballet Music." Royal Opera Orch., Covent unexpected climax

Dance Antique. Dance of the Cleopatra and Her Slaves. . . Dance of the Trojan Maidens. Mirror Dance.

George Baker-Baritone. (2461). "An Autumn Serenade."

"One Alone."

Reginald Foort (Organ). (2388). "I Kiss Your Lips." "Salut D'Amour." Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

8.00 p.m. Chinese programme.-Studio Concert. . 9.00 p.m. Evening Weather report and local time: Studio Concert (Chinese) continued. 10.30 p.m. Close down.

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#### CINEMA NOTES:

"NIGHT RIDE" SMASHING

GANGLAND PICTURE.

"Night Ride," now playing" at the Queen's Theatre, stars Joseph Schildkraut in his first straight role in a smashing story of gangland and the newspaper game, a top-notch picture moving with high-gear speed and filled to the last inch of film with drama and

Schildkraut, as a "dude" star reporter is marked for death on the night of his wedding by a gunman played by Edward G. Robinson, well known New York actor, who the most thrilling stories ever was imported from Broadway for brought to the motion picture the role. Schildkraut is "taken for a screen," Paramount's Forgotten ride"-gangland's way of disposing Faces" proved a powerful magnet of its enemies-and the picture at the Majestic Theatre last night. works rapidly to a thrilling and There is nothing mysterious about

Dance of the Nubians. as Schildkraut's bride and adds a which attract and not the least of Cleopatra and the Golden Cup. romantic, feminine touch to this them is the cast with Clive Brook, highly dramatic picture. Others Mary Brian, Baclanova, William who turn-in splendid performances Powell, Fred Kohler and Jack are Harry Stubbs as Schild- Luden. kraut's reporter pal, and DeWitt An elegant crook returns to his (9647). Jenning as a police captain.

of character and setting.

ing firm. "The Canary Murder Case."

"The Canary Murder Case," stake. than 100,000 copies, is even more cluding an attempted prison break.

enjoyable as a moving picture than it is as a book. The great. detective story, written by the mysterious St S. Van Dine, is now showing to crowded houses at

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"Forgotten Faces."

With an all-star cast and one of this picture's tremendous drawing Winsome Barbara Kent is seen power. It has all of the elements

home and is maddened to murder If you like thrills and a fast by what he finds. Penitentiary Dance of the Phryne. (9847). moving story don't miss "Night walls close about him for life." Ride." It's different from other Before he gives himself up to the pictures of its type and is doubly law, however, he leaves his infant' impressive because of its accuracy daughter on the door step of a wealthy couple. By a clever use John S. Robertson directed of dissolves, a time lapse of 15 "Night Ride." a Universal all talk- years is indicated without any slowing up in tempo. Then comes a desperate game with the happiness of the convict's daughter at

which as a novel swept America. There are some splendidly going to eight editions and more realistic penitentlary scenes, in-



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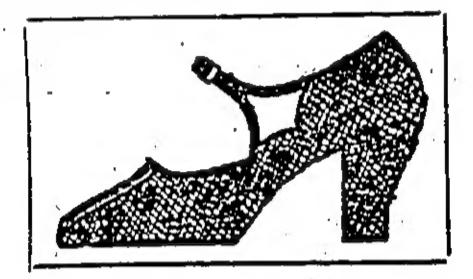
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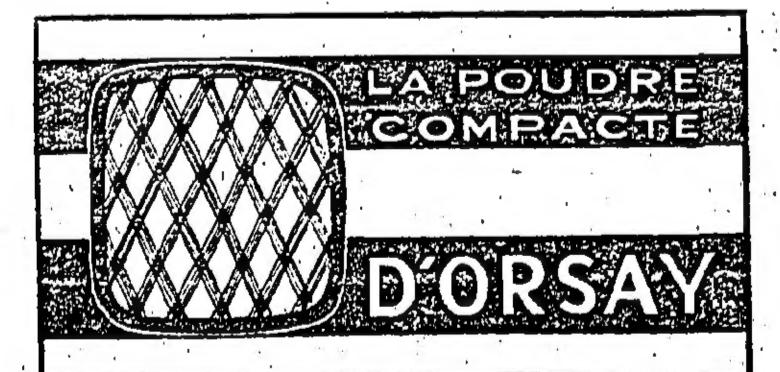
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Blouses and Hats to Match.



Worn with a dark blue suit is the blouse of printed, crepe in lighter blue shades, the accompanying hat being of dark blue straw lined with the blouse material. On the right is a picture hat of black satin, simply trimmed with band and bow of shell-pink satin; this goes with a shell-pink satin blouse the tie collar of which is black satin lined, and a black satin skirt. Last comes a pretty scheme in ivory and green, the blouse being made of ivory crepe smocked in green and finished with a green satin tie, and the little cap of similar crepe stitched all over in green silk and trimmed with green satin

#### Tips About Tea.

[By a Tea Expert.]

The aroma of a fragrant tea, Plain curtains of net are very to most people, conjures up visions popular, in these days, especially in of a clear amber fluid in delicate the attractive golden tint that prochina cups. But when ten is duces a first-class imitation of sunbought across the counter at the light. But they are upt to lose their grocer's, it is just as easy to sense charm after the first laundering the smell, and at the same time to unless they are very carefully dried.

Poor tea hardly smells at all.

merely to feel it. Good tea is hard good shape. and crisp to the touch. Cheap tea is much softer in feel.

If tens can be tested by such methods, how, it may be asked, does the tea-taster justify his existence at all? One of the most important jobs of the professional expert is to decide the particular blend of ten best suited for certain localities. To ascertain this, samples of the water are procured from specified districts, and the resultant brew is tasted with the addition of sugar only. inclusion of milk would confuse the palate. It follows, therefore, that although a tea may have delighted us on holiday, it is of no use to procure a parcel to take home, where it would, almost certainly taste quite differently.

Skilful Blending Required. is that ten is improved by skilful blending. Two parts of Indian blends obtainable anywhere.

#### To the Housewife.

PLAIN NET CURTAINS.

test the quality of the purchase. Haphazard drying produces hems If some of the leaves are taken like a switchback. The surest and held close against the nostrils, method of securing straight hems is quite a pronounced smell should to run a thin cane through the be perceptible, provided that hems at top and bottom before the ten is of good quality. hanging out to dry. This, with a oor tea hardly smells at all.

Another method of testing is they are still wet, will keep them a

while still wet without hanging out at all. After they have been put through thin hot-water starch they should be shaken to free the holes in the net from starch, wrung, and then gently pulled out with the fingers, rolled up in a towel and allowed to remain for an hour before ironing. Plain net should be ironed dry on the wrong side. Spotted or patterned net should be ironed on the wrong side also, but on a very much thicker ironing blanket, so that the pattern stands

appointed with the insipidity of the brew. This particular tea is in a class by itself, and it must be infused for anything from 25 to Even where a parcel of ten is 30 minutes. The proportion of ten procured direct from the gorgeous to be added should be one teaplains of the East, it will often be spoonful for each person and two unpalatable in comparison with for the teapot, this being rather the usual supply. The explanation higher than for the usual infusion.

Tea which is dusty as a result tea to two of Ceylon and one of of having been milled very small China produces one of the best is more extravagant than a larger leaf, as more le naturally heaped People who are recommended to in the spoon; otherwise it is stick to China tea are often dis- equally good.

#### Marriage After A Career.

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Can a woman make a success of marriage when it is her second

Our grandmothers were trained to be wives as we are trained to be teachers or typists. They looked on marriage as their business in life, and they generally began when they were quite young and as full of girlish enthusiasm as we are over our first school post or our first job in an office.

"Not many middle-class girls nowadays get husbands within a few months of leaving school. The majority have several years of wage-earning before they enter 13 Small movable plane. upon married life. Some of them spend this time in hostels or WO- 17 Mix. men's clubs, quite free from the 19 Green fodder pits. claims and restrictions of home 20 One who pleads. and family. Those who do live with their parents enjoy a good deal of independence; with money of their own to spend, week-ends and holidays at their disposal, they 32 At the top. have a degree of liberty far beyond 33 Froth. anything their mothers ever had. 34 Kind of tar.

Can they sacrifice this without 41 Epistle. a pang?

Nobody can deny that marriage 47 In the rear. curtails one's freedom. When our 50 Relating to the ear. mothers were young they rarely 51 Remedy. lived away from home; they had 53 Accidents. to adapt themselves to family life, 54 Entwined. to keep within a limited dress to keep within a limited areas 56 Rises. allowance supplied by our grand- 57 Small river. fathers. Not having the freedom of action of the modern girl, they had very little to lose on marriage.

We have a great deal. Can we give it up?

The married woman cannot go off for week-ends whenever sh pleases. If a friend rings her up she cannot run out at a moment's notice and leave the dinner to cook itself. She must always stop and consider domestic arrangements in a way that was never necessary when a household did not depend

The girls of the last century were not in the habit of doing these things. The girls of to-day are. And when they have done them for five or ten years, it is not easy to turn into a stay-at-home wife and mother all at once.

For some of us it seems so difficult that we do not dare to try. And then people scold educated women for refusing to marry.

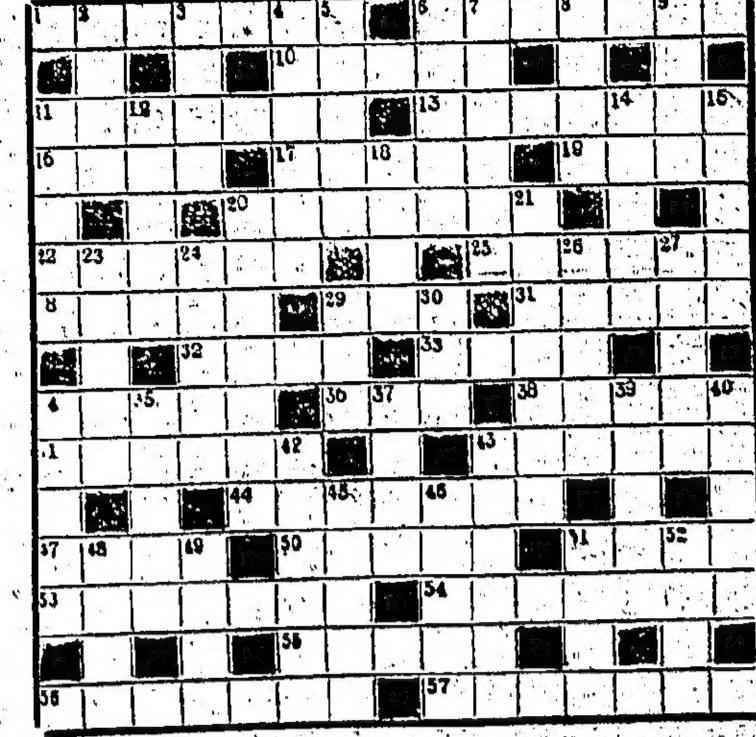
But marriage is a permanment An alternative method is to iron job. Is it not safer to leave it to those girls who do not want careers of another kind? There are plenty of them.

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8 Competes.

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12 Perfume from flowers. 15 Names (Gram.)

18 Relieve. 21 Pertaining to languages. 23 Ancient Greek race.

24 Favour. 26 Yellow fruit.

27 Ekes. 29 Medicinal watering place. 30 Newt

34 Divine composition. 35 Lock of hair. 37 Fruit.

39 First appearance. 40 House. 42 Clothed.

43 - Little band. 45 Schemes. 46 Carpeting.

48 Helps. 49 You (Old English). 51 Quote. 52 Package of paper. Yesterday's Solution.

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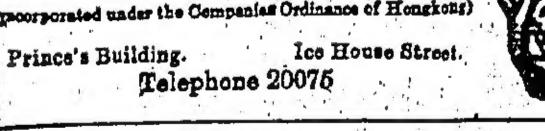
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#### The Uzongkong Celegraph.

THURSDAY, JULY 31 1930.

#### RICKSHA FARES.

People who are in the habit of using public chairs and rickshas will no doubt sympathise with the suggestion thrown out by Mr Kotewall that, in view of the rise in living costs, the time has come for some revision in the upward direction of the fares which are charged for this means of transport. By reason of the tax recently introduced and the increased cost of petrol, the motor-bus companies have been permitted to increase their fares, but the same considerations do not, of course, apply to chairs and rickshas. The only means of propulsion employed by chair-bearers and rickshapullers is man-power, the effectiveness of which naturally depends on adequate sustenance for the body. Rice is the staple food of these folk, and we all know that the price of that commodity has greatly increased in recent times. It is on these grounds that the plea for better pay, for the chairbearers and ricksha-coolies is bas-

So far as the ricksha coolies are concerned, we understand that the majority are poor country folk, mostly hailing from the Waichow or East River district. Not many of them own their own ! rickshas, although they all look forward to the time when they will be able to purchase their vehicles. The usual custom is to hire the rickshas either by the month or year, the owner, who is usually the manufacturer, bearing the cost of upkeep. As might be expected, the earnings of the coolies vary greatly, according to the time of the year, the weather ing houses, where an all-in rate is quoted for board and accommodation, and the lessees of some of these houses, are said to be former ricksha coolles who managed, after years of hard work, to save sufficient to rent a difficult to form an estimate of the earnings of these ricksha-pullers, but there can be no questioning the fact that their living costs have latterly been considerably increased. They are permitted to charge, on the lower levels and in

an-hour, and thirty cents for every hour's ride. These rates have been in force now for some five years or so, prior to which the minimum fare was five cents. Beaufort. Whilst it is only right and proper that some consideration should be Shanghai, is due here at noon on. paid to the increase in living Friday. costs, the question which naturally suggests itself is how best to revise the rates. To make the of puerperal fever. minimum fare fifteen cents might be to cause a hardship on people who only use these vehicles for very brief distances, to say nothing of the point that such a marked increase may be out of all proportion to the rise in living costs. These points will no doubt be borne in mind in the Government's answer to Mr. Kotewall's query. When all is said and done, this

man-power form of transport is very primitive, degrading to those who engage in it and often distressing to those who patronise it, of the cane in Court. Gradually, with the rapid expansion of motor transport, rickshas are being displaced, and, quite frankly, we shall not be sorry when the last of them disappears from our streets. Excepting outlying parts, there are very few localities either on the island or the mainland which are not now tramcar, and the presence of rickshas and chairs on our busy streets only serves to add to the not practicable to keep them off from Singapore. thoroughfares served by buses or trams, they might at any rate be precluded from touting for fares in such areas, being confined to side streets excepting, when on a Magistracy this morning. definite journey from one district where motor-buses, motor-cars, time. taxis and tramcars are plying, the ricksha is a source of danger both to motorists and to those who patronise these hand-drawn vehicles. We may feel sorry at the also at the prospect which would for treatment. face them were rickshas altojust as well be recognised that the day of the ricksha coolie is surely coming to an end.

#### Radio Telephony.

Ordinance which is being consi- \$52. dered at this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council is of especial interest in view of the foresight shown in anticipating that one day the Colony may have the advantage of the radio-telephony method of communication. We do not imply that the Government has never shown foresight before-far vision of the amending Ordinance was imposed, while the defendant gives further proof that while pro- was ordered to pay \$10 compensagress in some directions of dever tion. lopment may be painfully slow in the Colony this does not apply wireless. It is not very long a since the Colony's commerc radio services were entirely u developed; but to-day communic tion with any part of the world possible and a highly efficient as revenue producing organisation h been built up. The Governmen while slow in developing broadcas ing, will always deserve commend tion for the rapid establishment most effective commercial rad services, and it is now encouragir conditions, and their good luck in to have evidence that the prosper picking up fares. At the best, it of radio-telephony has not only bee is a very precarious living. Most considered but that definite prov of the coolies live in cheap lodg- sion has been made for linking u the ordinary line telephone servi when it becomes available in Hon kong. It is the radio-telephon which enables the New York bus ness man to ring up his agent London, and also the radio telephon which enabled Miss Amy Johnso to speak to her parents in Hull. after her record flight to Austra- has a radio-telephone service but flat. It is, as we have indicated, lin. The radio-telephone is the the need of the moment has been most personal form of communi- met. Provision has been made for cation over vast distances ever that time and there is little furlikely to be invented for by its ther that can be done at the moaid communication is by actual ment. Any evidence that Hongspeech between two persons. The kong is keeping abreast of the mysterious dot and dash and the world is encouraging and we have printed word on a cable or tele- no doubt that the responsible radio gram form do not enter into it.

#### DAY BY DAY.

THE FUTURE OF SOCIETY IS IN THE THE MOTHERS.—Dr.

The P. and O. s.s. Kalyan, from

Yesterday's health return shows one case of typhoid and one case

The quarantine restrictions imposed against arrivals from Saigon on account of cholera have been

The silk forwarded from Hongkong by the Empress of Canada on the 10th July arrived in New York (St. John's Park) on the 30th July, having been 20 days in transit.

Arrested for picking the pocket of a woman in Laichikok Road of cents and four cash, a small boy who appeared before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning was ordered to receive twelve strokes

Found lying in Stanley Road, to Mr. "X." all appearances dead, a Chinese Mr. Algernon Brown, prosecutabout 40 years old, was taken to ing, said that Mr. "X" was a the Central Police station this married man aged 40. He met morning. He was, however, just Harry, then a probationer nurse, conscious but died before the am- about five years ago, and took her bulance arrived. His name, mark- out for drives and to dinners, but ed on his clothing, was Wong the relationship was one of Fook-chiu.

adequately served by motor-bus or the s.s. Talamba from Singapore he made no further appointments to Hongkong were each fined \$50 with her. She afterwards told or one month's hard labour by Mr. him that she had not been married Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magi- after all, but was living under stracy this morning. The men the protection of a man named were found hiding "down below" Pat. dangers and congestion. If it is three days after her departure

hours on the hillside in Prince Edward Road, a contractor was fined \$15 on his appearance before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon defendant claimed that he was preparing the charge for moon but to another. At present, in streets it accidentally went off before

A report has been made to the Police by a fisherman, who stated that whilst taking his boat alongside the No. 2 Police launch at Yam O yesterday for the purpose of securing a fishing stake licence economic plight in which the pul- his right hand was crushed between the two boats, necessitating his lers find themselves to-day, and admission to the Kowloon Hospital

A shop foki of the Lam Tam gether abolished, but the fact had silk store at 456, Nathan Road, in a police report yesterday, intimated that he met two men who requested him to take a quantity of silk to their house at 30, Hanoi Road where they wished to show it to their master. The silk was accordingly taken and handed to the two men, who subsequently disappeared and were not seen The Bill to amend the Telephone again. The silk -was valued at

An assault committed in May last had a sequel before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowlcon Magistracy this morning when the assailant was charged with cutting the complainant with a chopper. The defence alleged that the incident arose over a dispute in a gambling house where the complainant was accused of cheating, but this the from it in many cases—but the pro- complainant denied. A fine of \$25

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Kowloon, ten cents for a ten- It may of course be some con- tunity when it arises for improv-) changed, necessitating a delay of minute ride, twenty cents for half- siderable time before Hongkong ing the Colony's communications. about 45 minutes.

#### BLACKMAIL AND MURDER.

STRONG REMARKS BY SIR ERNEST WILD.

#### HEAVY SENTENCES.

Strong remarks on the crime of blackmall were made by Sir Ernest Wild, the Recorder at the Old Bailey in passing sentence of four years' penal servitude on a man for the blackmail of o municipal officer, whose name was not disclosed, and who was referred to as Mr. "X."

"Blackmail in my opinion," he said, "is second only to the crime of murder.

"The person who submits to it forfeits his freedom of action and his liberty of conscience for the rest of his natural life.'

In the dock were: Patrick Garity (30), described as an engineer, and

Helena Harry (25), a nurse. They pleaded not guilty to demanding £15 with menaces from

friendship only. In June 1929, she told him that Six Chinese stowaways on board | she was going to be married, and

#### No Wedding Ring.

In November he met her by For blasting during prohibited chance at the Regent Palace Hotel, and she then said that she was married to a ship's engineer. Mr. "X" asked her why she was not wearing a wedding ring she replied that it was easier to their necks for the poor devils who "get off" without it.

They then went to an hotel where intimacy took place.

On May 26 Patrick Garity called at Mr. "X's" office and introduced himself as Harry's husband. He told Mr. "X" that he knew what had been going on, and produced what purported to be a confession by Harry before a Roman Catholic priest.

Garity declared .that he had lost his own job through having them watched, and that if he didn't get £15 from Mr. "X" he would get him the sack, and take the matter to the Divorce Court.

#### Hidden Detectives,

Mr. "X" told him to come back on the following Monday, and then went to the police. When Garity and Harry came on the Monday two police officers were hidden in Mr. "X's" office, and they were arrested.

Mr. Brown added that Garity and Harry had never been married, that Garity had been put to no expense and that he had lost no employment.

Mr. "X," giving evidence, said that he had been in municipal employ for 23 years, and his salary was £415 a year.

Garity, in the witness box, said. that he met Harry in 1929, and had lived with her since. He was fond of her, and sorry for her. He wanted to convince Mr. "X" that he was separating him from his girl.

Garity and Harry were found guilty.

The jury recommended Harry to mercy on the ground that she had come under the bad influence of the man.

Garity, said a police officer, had five previous convictions, for theft, house-breaking and embezzlement. His real name was Hannaby, and he was born in Manchester.

Garity was sentenced to four years' penal servitude, while Harry was bound over. 10 CT

Plymouth Education Committee accepted Mr. A. C. Ballard's offer to hand over the Ballard Institute for Boys to the administration of the Plymouth Education Authority, together with £35,000 for investment as an endowment fund. The fund is to be controlled by a sub-committee of the Education Committee, to be known as the Council of the Ballard Institute. The chairman of the committee described the gift as unparalleled in the history of the city for its munificence.

While a Worcester to London express was passing through Gloucestershire it ran into a herd of cows at a level crossing. Four of the animals were killed and several others injured. The engine kept the line and the driver pulled up as quickly as possible, but a number of passengers suffered from a severe shaking. Some damage was caused authorities will seize every opport to the engine and it had to be

# The Very Idea!

Some more schoolboy "howlers:" .The earth makes a resolution every twenty-four hours.

The difference between air and water is that the air can be made" wetter and water cannot, Things that are equal to each

other are equal to anything else. We are now the masters of steam and eccentricity. Handicap is a headgear that

will fold into the pocket. Georgeous are those who possess. large appetites.

A little schoolboy, whose knowledge of Australian geography is somewhat lacking made the funny statement in a recent examination that "The Great Divide," was "What the Socialists are after."

"He's a clever boy," said the teacher, "but he's very much given to lying."

"I don't know where he learned that," said the father. "His mother never tells lies, and I'm so little at home."

At a certain church a new lychgate was erected, and over it was inscribed-"This is the gate of heaven."

While the paint was wet, a large printed notice was attached, bearing the words-"Please go round the other way."

Mrs. Hoskinson: "I have found out one thing about that Mrs. Newcome. Whoever she is, she has certainly never moved in good society."

Mr. Hoskinson: "How do you know that?" Mrs. Hoskinson: "She shakes

hands as if she meant it." "Hulloa, Sandy, where are you

going for your holidays?" "Man, John, I'm thinking o gaun tae Switzerland!" ... "Why Switzerland, Sandy."

"Well it's this way, I hear that there are dogs there that gaun about with bottles o' brandy round get lost in the snow, and by jove, if I'm not lost every day in the week, it winns be my fau't,"

#### WATER LEVELS.

ON WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

The following table, issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission, shows in English feet the water levels on the West River, North River and East

River, on the dates named: July 29 July 30 Shiuhing .... 21.2 Tsingyuen .. # 10.2 Samshui ..... 12.6 Sheklung ..... 10.6

The highest levels on. are: Shinhing, 41 feet; Tsingyuen, 29.2 feet; Samshui, 27.3 feet; Sheklung 15.5 feet.

The lowest level on record at Samshui is minus 5 feet and Sheklung minus 2.7 feet.

## WHO WAS-?

FABIUS. Many people have heard of Fabian tactics, and know that the term means methods of warfare which delay and harass an enemy by a series of minor actions, but relatively few have any idea of its derivation.

The noble Roman family of the Fabil had many famous sons, but the one who gave rise to the term "Fabian policy" was Fabius Maximus dictator of Rome at a very critical time in the history of that city. Hannibal the Carthaginian had defeated the Romans at the Battle of Trasimenus, and was advancing upon Rome. necessary, at all costs, prevent his arrival until an army sufficient to the defence of the town could be sould assembled. Fabius, with only a small

force at his command, did not engage in open battle, but concentrated on hampering his enemy's progress by guerilla warfare, cutting off his stragglers, burning up his supplies, and making small surprise attacks. Thus he delayed Hannibal until large numbers of soldiery had gathered in Rome, but his tactics were misunderstood and disliked by both soldiers and civilians, and very soon the ungrateful people elected a second dictator.

The term Fabian has been. appropriated by a body of Socialists, of whom G. B. Shaw. was a leading member, which. sought to advance the principles of Socialism by degrees, avoiding an open breach with Captialism and until such time as they had sufficient power to force the issue.

#### GARRISON SCHOOL PRIZE-DAY.

GEN. SANDILANDS PRESENTS THE AWARDS.

#### HAPPY ATMOSPHERE.

Satisfactory reports of work and attendance at the Garrison School for the past year were made at the ! annual distribution of prizes held series of thefts at Kennedy Road in at Volunteer Headquarters this morning. Those present included H.E. Major General J. W. Sandilands and Rear. Admiral R. A. S.

declared Captain Deakin in reading Road. His arrest occurred at Kenthe report, there was only one nedy Road yesterday while he was change in the school staff and much escaping from the Quarters with of the very satisfactory year's work the bowl in his possession. must be attributed to this fact. In addition to the very sound educational side of the school curriculum, the general tone and happy atmosphere of the school was most marked and could mainly be attributed to the patience and pleasing personality of the teaching staff. Their task was made easier by the similar virtues of the children themselves. Cleanliness and neatness of dress were outstanding characteristics of the children and reflected great credit on the parents.

#### Remarkable Attendance.

The departure of the King's Own Scottish Borderers children in February, said Captain Deakin, depleted the school's numbers for a short time only, the transfer of the majority of the Somerset Light Infantry children from Gun Club Hill School being completed. The attendance had been remarkable and in this respect he had to express his thanks to the parents on whom the question mostly depend-

The school had been free from epidemics and any irregular, attendance had been due to minor ailments or inclement weather. The number of children attending was: - Army, 83; Naval Dockyard 20: ex-soldiers and civilians, 26.

#### Congratulations.

Of the eight scholarships at the Central British School, Kowloon, offered annually by the Board of Education, four had been taken up by Eva Penny, Queenie Tylcoat, Joan Wilson and Jack Jordan and the Headmaster had reported favourably on their progress. He congratulated Barbara Budden who passed the senior local examination with distinction in English; was awarded the Montargis French prize senior, the Government prize, headmaster's prize, Ezra Abraham scholarship, and war memorial prize; Desmond Hynes, who passed the senior local examination with distinction in English; Aileen Hynes, who succeeded in the junior local examination; and William Maycock on his promotion to Form

A large number of the prizes, Captain Deakin concluded, had been made possible owing to the generous contributions received from the various naval and military officers, units, messes and clubs, dockyard officials and from parents of civilian children attending the school, the Board of Education and the Chamber of Commerce.

#### General's Speech,

It was a source of great satisfaction to him, declared H. E. Major General Sandilands, in presenting the prizes, to hear such an excellent report. They were greatly indebted to the teachers and he heartily congratulated them and also mentioned that he was struck with the neat manner in which the children were turned out. He hoped that before long there would! be a children's playground at Scandal Point and already Rear Admiral Hill had promised a seat for that purpose.

#### Prize List,

Standard 7: V. Stokes (excellent work) Standard 6: B. Jones. 1; J Ripley 2. Standard 5: A. Leigh, G. Willmott, 2; G. Budden, 3; D. Summons (home lessons), A. Allen (good conduct). Standard 4: B. Haslam, D. Stlff, K. Dodge (good to go on saying, 'I have done my conduct), E. Kennard (home best, and I have failed!" lessons). Standard 2: H. Carter, 1; F. Richardson, 2: J. Latham, 3;

conduct). vert, 1; E. Haslam, 2. Juniors, N. under the influence of a good Murray, 1; D. Holloway, 2.

Peggy Scouler, Betty Worne, last week," he said, "a man asked Harold Calvert, Donald Murray, me whether I considered it prac-Ernest Maycock, Stanley Didsbury, ticable to send round well-spoken Denis Naylor, George Kirman, Nor- men from door to door selling Wright, Jeanne ' Freeman, Margaret Richardson, Wendy Anslow, Sylvia Tylcoat, Betty Nicks, Grace Frith, Ronald Fisher, Jack Leigh, Barbara Stoosmith, Pamela Harris, Cyril Holdom, Freddy Jones, Jack Winnie Pinfold, Edna Webb, Bertie Fettis. Class 3: Rose Matthews, Leigh, Freddy Weatherly, Freddy Jean Jeffries, Hypatia Anderson, Stokes, Tony Green, Ronald Clark.

#### ARMY QUARTERS.

ALLEGED PERPETRATOR IN POLICE HANDS.

#### CAUGHT WITH BOWL.

With the arrest of Ho Tack-(28), yesterday, the police believe they have the burglar responsible for a their hands.

The prisoner was charged before Mr. Butters this morning with the theft of a biscuit bowl, the property of Mrs. Keswell, of No. 1, During the year under review, Block, Married Quarters, Kennedy

> A number of pawntickets were found on him relating to other property stolen previously, this including two woollen blankets belonging to Miss Hill, living at No. 7, "B' Block, stolen on June 17, and a clock and a silver cigarette case also | tor stolen from Miss Hill on July 7. All these articles have been recovered from the pawnshops.

a hand operated Singer sewing attack. machine which has not yet been

In following up the clues furnished by the pawntickets, the Police recovered two rings, one a plain gold one and the other set with side Wo's house, a bomb was Lo Cheung was also involved. three rubies, of which the awners have not been traced.

Charged, alternatively, with being a receiver of the articles decovered from the pawnshops, the

Evidence was called by Detective Sergeant Johnson, and the accused was sentenced to six months' hard

#### REVISED MOTOR TAXATION.

(Continued from Page 1.)

cents per gallon on Petrol on the Revenue derived frm Motor ly thrown doubt on the story of raided contained \$500 in gold, a Vehicles:

Estimated Revenue 1980.

Motor Buses ......\$78,706

Public Cars ...... 18,491

Motor Cycles	4,810
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increase .........\$272,327

Dr. West Watson, Bishop of Christchurch, New Zealand, speaking at Carlisle at the annual festival of the Mothers' Union said: "In New Zealand I went to hear Sir. Harry Lauder, and I was struck by a little song he sang, 'Keep right on to the end of the road.' I could not help feeling. Maycock, 1; V. Fields, 2; G. Rib- that what he was singing applied bands, 3; W. Ribbands, J. Clinton, to himself. "He had lost an only G. Gull (good conduct), R. Sum. son in the war, and I believe he mons (home lessons). Standard 3: has now lost his wife. It certainly A. Chambers, 1; R. Leaver, 2; A. seemed to me that the message Leaver, 3; N. Murray, 4; B. Gull, C. he was trying to give us was not

Mr. Alfred C. Bossom, address-F. Allen, 4; R. Ribbands (prize for ing the Incorporated Society of progress); R. Fields, N. Clark, J. Auctioneers at Leamington said Kelly, I. Murphy, H. Mills (good that in Hollywood pospective purchasers of land were taken in Needlework.—Seniors: G. Cal- motor coaches and induced to buy lunch and cocktails. Certain Infants.—Standard 1: Jean Parkinson, Mary Parsons, Ada Anderson, Joyce Shaw, Esme Payne, methods in England. "Only land on the instalment plan."

#### WITNESSES BY BOMB.

NON-APPEARANCE IN COURT EXPLAINED.

#### EXTRADITION CASE.

Complaint of undue interferinstant discharge of the accused, magazines, and 19 rounds of fighting along the Tientsin-Pukow has figured largely in the case for ammunition, five Chinese appear-Railway owing to the sudden rethe defence in connexion with ed before Mr. Lindsell and Mr. tirement of General Han Fu-chu, alleged murder at Taifu Village. Chief Detective Inspector way and has entirely frustrated Namhoi district

Mr. Hin-shing Lo, counsel for withdraw the charge against the the defence, contended that such last four men as there was no been tortured with hot irons.

explained the absence of Tam ed with, Thong and Tam Wo, two of his The arms were found in a house Nanking, together with the 13,000 witnesses. He said they had been opposite the Tin Hau Temple in men under the 60th and 61st Miss Hill says that she also lost the victims of a disastrous bomb Wongneichung Road on July 22nd, Kwangtung Divisions, have been

received that on Monday the two men in the house next door. men went to Taifu Village from The defendant admitted that the Falshan. At about 8 o'clock in the arms were in his possession, but mon being seriously injured.

Soldiers were called and Defendant:-I didn't know what another bomb was thrown. Lo Cheung intended to do with injuring two of the soldiers.

evidence throwing doubt on the pistol were loaded. story of the witness for the proficient for granting the discharge, was passed. The evidence of the defence, his the prosecution.

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The case is proceeding.

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#### SENTENCE OF YEARS.

ARMS CASE BEFORE TWO MAGISTRATES.

#### FOUR DISCHARGED.

Charged with having in their ence with witnesses, made a possession one revolver, one autoground for an application for the matic pistol, four file daggers, two extradition proceedings against Butters sitting together at the who has abandoned his ground three Chinese, who are wanted for Central Magistracy this morning. along the Tsinanfu-Kiaochow Rail-

interference, namely the arrest evidence against them sufficient to and detention of certain of his get a conviction. The police had situation, Marshal Chiang Kaiwitnesses up-country, had per- hoped to charge them in connexion verted justice and crippled his with some other crimes, but no defence. He alleged, further, evidence was forthcoming to subthat one of the witnesses had stantiate any charge whatever. The four accused were accord-

This morning, when the case ingly discharged, but the case was resumed, the Public Prosecu- against the first accused, a man (Mr. Somerset Fitzroy) named Cheung Teng, was proceed-

and the defendant was arrested commissioned to proceed to the Information, he said, was inside the house, and the other Tsinanfu-Klaochow, Railway with

evening, as they were sitting out he said that another man named thrown at them, resulting in both Mr. Lindsell:-What have you confusion on the railway, leading got these arms for, robbery?

The witnesses of both sides . Mr. Reynolds stated that the prisoner returned a plea of "not being now shown to have been police, on receiving information equally interfered with the that an armed robbery was to take Court agreed that conditions up- place in a house in Connaught country were certainly abnormal. Road Central, kept watch for On the point raised by Mr. Lo. | several nights, and on July, 22nd that interference with his wit- raided the house in question and nesses was a legal ground for the arrested the defendant. From discharge of the fugitives, the letters which were found there, it Magistrate held that in the appeared that the defendant was absence of other convincing a seaman. The revolver and the

> Sentence of five years' hard secution, such a plea was not suf- labour and 24 strokes of the birch

It was ascertained later that the Worship said, had not convincing house which was to have been large amount of silver and valuable property.

#### SOVIET AGENCY SEARCHED.

RAID BY SHANGHAI POLICE FORCE.

Shanghai, July 30. At the request of the Chinese authorities, the Settlement police this morning raided and searched the residences of M. Rover, the Tass Agency correspondent, and M. Maharam, a Soviet agent. The searchers did not find anything incriminating.—Reuter.

#### OCCASIONAL RAIN.

The Royal Observatory reports that a somewhat deep "depression remains over S.E. China. Bonins typhoon has curved westward toward Kobe, The local forecast is: S.W. winds, fresh; generally overcast; occasional

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#### NANKING FEAR OF INVASION.

GEN. HAN'S RETIREMENT BIG BLOW.

DELICATE POSITION.

Shanghai, July 30. Much apprehension is being felt among the Nanking Commanders Reynolds asked permission to the Nationalist plan of a right flank offensive to attack Tsinanfu from Tsingchow and Tsingtao.

> shek has concentrated 100,000 of his picked troops along railway stations between Yenchow and Hsuchow in a stupendous effort to defend Nanking, the capital.

#### Canton Supporters,

Some 40,000 new recruits from light and heavy artillery, machinegun sections and bombing parties to relieve General Han Fu-chu. . The sudden retreat of the Han Fuchu Regiments has caused great to the suspension of the service on the Tsinanfu-Kiacchow Railway.

The precarious situation in North China is fraught with developments not at all favourable to the Nationalist Government. For instance, General Ma Hung-kwai, representing the Central Government, is visiting Tsingtao to participate in a big military conference with General Han Fu-chu and his General Staff in a final attempt to convince the Nationalist allies of the impos-Bibility of giving up the whole of the Tsinanfu-Kuiaochow Railway, which would have a serious effect on the defence of Nanking and Hsuchow.

#### Uncertainty Prevails.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has decided to promise a huge sum to General Han Fu-chuif he will continue to fight or to hand over his 20,000 troops to General Ma Hungkwai.

The situation is made more complicated by Peking messages to the effect that General Han Fu-chu's retirement was the outcome of an understanding with his former colleague, General Shih Yu-shan, the Kuominchun officer command-

ing the Shantung rebels. A prompt offensive will be necessary if Marshal Chiang Kaishek desires to achieve his objective of recapturing the capital of Shantung without giving any time for the enemy to consolidate their position on the newly-conquered grounds between Tsinanfu and Tsingtao.

#### Further Retreats.

General Han Fu-chu has ordered a further retreat of his troops ] from Tsingchow, abandoning Changle and Weihslen, Tsingtao. Many Chinese marines have been landed at Tsingtao from the Manchurian gunboats with a view to preserving order, for fear of looting by the defeated Han Fu-chu regiments.

The Manchurian Commanders have announced - in official statements that they have no intention of being involved in the China war apart from the decision to protect the Japanese and Chinese residents.

#### TRAGEDY OF TIRED OARSMEN.

TWO DROWNED WHEN BOAT OVERTURNS.

Two of the crew of four from Talkin Tarn, Cumberland, competing at Middlesbrough regatta on the River Tees, were drowned when their craft capsized in the sight of thousands of spectators.

The victims were A. Robinson and Ernest Black, of Brampton, Cumberland. The boat, as a result of the

choppy condition of the river, had shipped a good deal of water and was about 100 yards from the winning-post, when it overturned. The oarsmen were completely exhausted by their strenuous race

against Bede College, Durham, in which they had made a dead-heat. The tragedy occurred during the row-off. When the boat capsized two of

the crew, J. Pearson and J. Mounsey, managed to get hold of the craft, but Black and Robinson sank and were not seen again. The Teesmouth lifeboat, which was passing, succeeded in rescutwo oarsmen.

ing their turn to compete, dived strength of the current. The regatta was abandoned

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University crew, who were wait- ed to turn back owing to the only a few yards.

ing the coxswain and "the other into the river from the Middles- It is stated that none of the borough landing stage in an at- crew was able to swim with the Several members of the Durham tempt at rescue, but were compell- exception of Mounsey-and he

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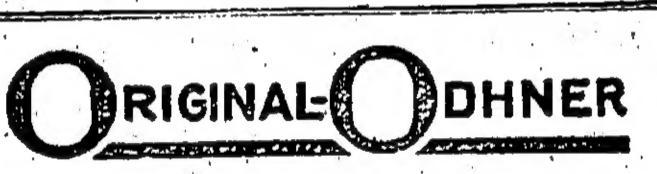
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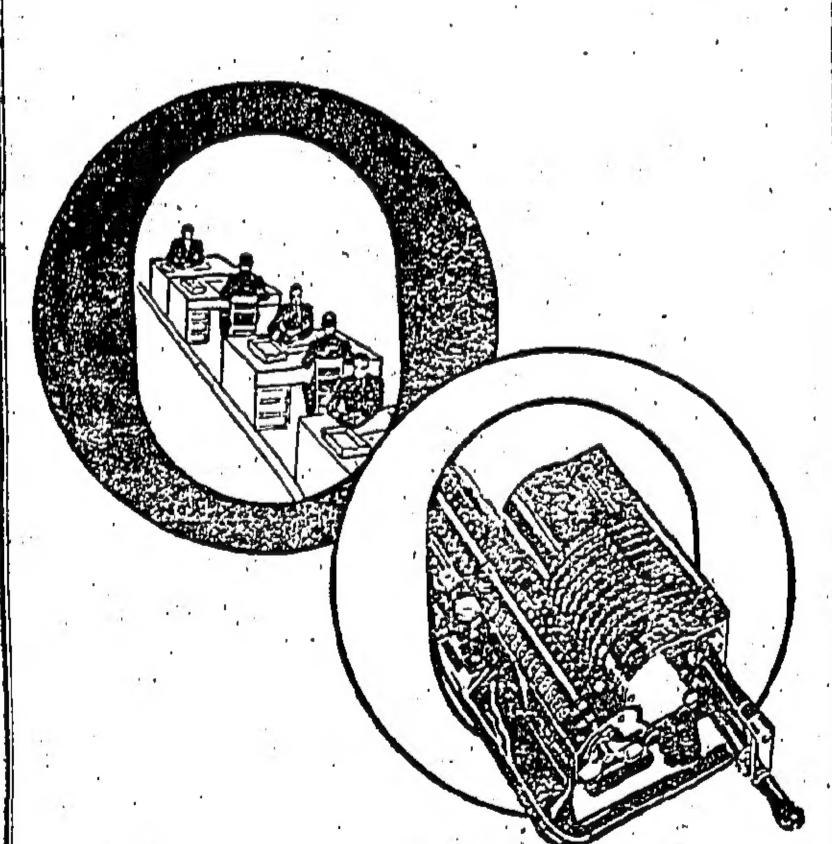


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#### HONGKONG ELECTRIC TEAM FOR SATURDAY.

#### Club de Recrelo Teams.

#### BIG TENNIS WIN FOR THE U.S.R.C.

#### YESTERDAY.

Club strengthened considerably their half ended, while Victor whizzed a Staffs (Reiss Massey and Co.); challenge for the leadership of the pretty backhand in The Varsity Messrs. Ken Cheng and Co; and mixed doubles tennis league yester- team did not make the most of their from the following members of the day, when they entertained and de- advantage in numbers, and effected a from the following members of the

Goldman and Mrs. Taylor (U.S.R.C.) beat M. Oliveira and Miss C. Osmund 6-2; beat G. Noronha and just before the final whistle. Final Miss O. Ribeiro 6-0; beat Rocha and Miss Leite 6-1.

E. Grimble and Mrs. Keary beat M. Oliveira and Miss Osmund 6-2; beat Noronha and Miss. Ribeiro 6-3; aita, Remedios, Lawrence, L. Roza beat Rocha and Miss Leite 6-3.

Col. Skinner and Mrs. Dook beat Oliveira and Miss Osmund 6-4; beat S. T. Cheung, K. K. Kho, S. H. Wong, Noron a and Miss Ribeiro 6-0; best H. M. Kwok, H. Cheung. Rocha and Miss Leite 6-1.

#### AUSTRALIAN SUGAR EMBARGO.

QUESTION OF LIFTING BAN ON IMPORTS.

Canberra, July 30. Mr. Scullin, speaking at the Silva Netto. a full enquiry would be held into Bonning, Foreman, Chuen. sugar and sugar agreement newal of the agreement, for five cared for by natives at a near-bounties to assist the industry). The latter agreement would not be renewed until a comprehensive report dealing with all aspects of the question had been considered.

The parties interested urge a term of the cared for by natives at a near-by village. A private rescue expedition, organised by the Rangeon Gazette, and substantially financed by a London newspaper, ing the embargo on foreign sugar.

—Reuter.

#### WATER POLO.

#### V.R.C. SECONDS BEAT UNIVERSITY.

Hongkong Electric Recreation Club Firm action by the referee early in will be represented by the following in the second division match against the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club at the Yacht Club on Saturday: V. G. Kerley, Yacht Club on Saturday: V. G. Kerley, T. P. Saunderson, S. J. Clarke, W. H. B. Muskett (Skip); W. Stoker, E. Thompson, D. S. Hill, F. F. Duckworth his authority Mr. Weyman sent Roza the death occurred that yets the (Skip); A. Tarbuck, G. T. Padgett, Pereira out of the bath soon after the H. Hatch, A. F. Paul (Skip). opening whistle, and did not allow him to come back. "Ungentlemanly conduct" was his explanation for the

H. A. Alves, F. X. Soares, P. A. wise would have been more or less a demise, therefore, came as a sur-Lopes, A. C. V. Ribeiro (Skip).

2nd. team versus Kowloon B. G.
Club (home).—F. V. Ribeiro, E. M.
Remedios, J. M. S. Rosario, F. X. M.
Silva (Skip); Dr. R. A. C. Basto, A.
V. Harros, R. R. Robarts, A. H. Basto (Skip); M. F. Baptista, J. M. M.
Alves, C. M. S. Alves, A. E. S. Alves
and showed his determination not to and showed his determination not to the Roman Catholic Cemetery overlook the slightest foul. The the back never ceased in their efforts among whom were Messrs. A. F. B. from that point.

CLUB DE RECREIO TROUNCED game, failed to take advantage of Rozario, L. E. Remedios, G. Pereira, several charces. After several wild and P. A. Rozario. couple, and Lawrence slipped one in others. scores were .- V.R.C., 7 goals; University 1 goal.

The teams were as follow: V.R.C .- Da Rocha, Maynard, For-Pereira, Victor. University.—P. L. Tan, K. I. Ip,

Drab Senior Game. Little interest was attached to the first division game between the V.R.C. and Navy, and a dull contest ended-V.R.C., 4 goals; Navy, nil. Gittins shot three goals and Silva Netto one. Weill did not play for V.R.C. and Remedios went in at the last moment,

and he also took his usual place in the second division game. The men who played were: V.R.C.-Knight, Scares, Remedios,

#### OBITUARY.

#### DEATH OF MR. D. D. OZORIO.

The death occurred early yes-

his many sterling qualities. He had been in indifferent health for a month or two, but never so seriously ill that he had to take 1st. team versus Kowloon B. G. action.
Club (away).—A. S. Gomes, L. C. R. Mr. Weyman's stand certainly made
Souza, C. G. Silva, R. F. Luz (Skip); an interesting contest of what other-

Yvanovich, C. E. Marques (Skip); farce. There was never any doubt prise to friends and colleagues.
L. G. Gutierrez, E. L. Barros, C. A. that V.R.C. were streets ahead of the The late Mr. Ozorio leaves a Lopes, A. C. V. Ribeiro (Skip).

students—the seven-one score in their father Mr. J. E. Ozorio of Masses.

whole attitude of V. R. C. spectators yesterday afternoon, was attended and players—changed and the men in by a large number of friends, Silva-Netto, A. Landsbert, J. University were unfortunate that Ormiston, D. P. J. Lopes, P. Mavier the scores were not even, for Wong up H. Rozario, J. Baptista, E. M.

shots, Lawrence at last put one Wreaths were sent by .- Messrs. through and started the V.R.C. scor- Reiss, Massey and Co.; Engineer-The United Services Recreation ing. He put on two more before the ing, Chinese and Portuguese feated the Club de Recreio by nine peculiar reshuffle of positions after staff of Reiss. Massey and Co., sets to love. Scores: the interval. Wong shot a hot one Messrs. B. L. Lewis, P. Vickers, W. through, but it was their solitary Tensley, A. Landsbert, H. W., score. Victor rattled on another Adler and J. Ormiston; and

#### THE AIR TRAGEDY IN BURMAH.

#### EXPEDITION FINDS MISSING AIRMAN'S BODY.

Rangoon, July 30. The missing airman Hook's body has been discovered by the expedition which set out on July 22.-Reuter.

[Hook and Matthews crashed in the jungle in Burmah early in July while attempting a flight from England to Australia. Matthews took the news of their plight to a place where help could be obtained after they had Stewart, C. Roza Pereira, Gittins, wandered for days in the jungle. When the spot at which Hook Federal Institute, announced that Navy.—Parker, Beer, Oakden, Way, was left was reached by search parties, no trace of the airman

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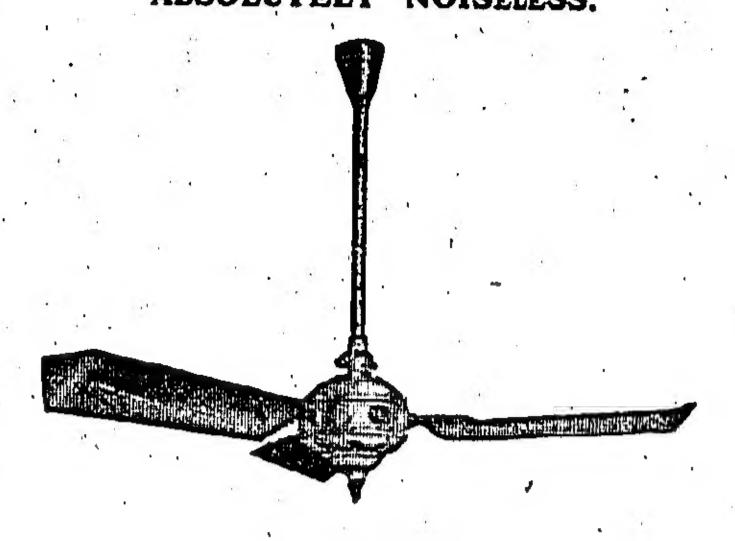
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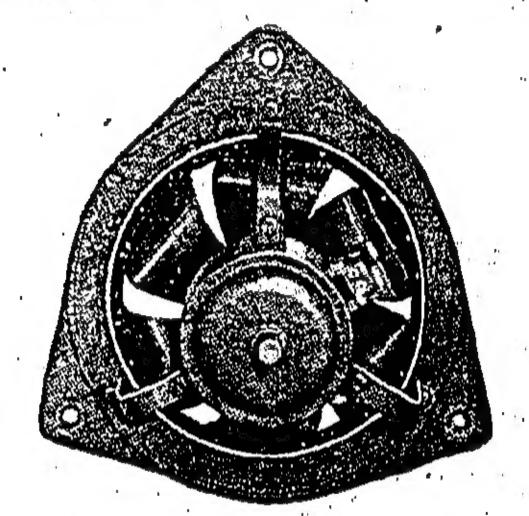
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Judy was there a quarter of an hour before the time. She had greyish-green tapestries, a purpose, and, in her dramatic her think of that sun. way, she dressed for it. She put on her oldest clothes. She paid no attention to her face, which He bowed very panctiliously. He was; as usual, violently made up, was dark and thin and quietlike a caricature.

CHAPTER XIV.

She was wrought up to such a pitch of excitement that when mademoiselle," he said in broken she was shown into Gideon's English. "Is there anything you great salon she did not recognize would like-any ballet suite you it as perhaps the most beautiful are especially fond of?"

room in New York. It did the millionaire credit ly. Her voice was panic stricken. ment. Had she really conveyed that he showed not the slightest surprise at her appearance. He music. I know I'm going to be a asked her to sit down, and she failure. I don't think I can tal as he turned to the great did so, on an old English day bed, dance, after all." with cushion of dull gold. She "Oh, but, mademoiselle, of "I think you are not displeased," was pulling off her gloves and course you can dance!" said the he said. "Miss Grant has talent, then putting them on again. She young man, "You must not be has she not?"

"I wanted to see you first, Mr. I improvised? Some dancers pre- what he felt. but only if you'll let me keep my- it be Spanish. Egyptian, Greek, do well in the picturesque school." self while I'm learning to dance. I Russian or-" can manage that all right. I can't "Could you do something just how," Gideon went on. "Yes, live on you. I except, if this Scotch?" Judy asked, trembling she conveyed exactly the same fees until I'm ready so that whisky. "All grey and green, ever been in Scotland, Miss Judy?" Bombey wouldn't cost anything. I can't like this room." take anything from you while I'm She swept her arm around; still dazed. learning. I'd rather give the idea | She hardly knew herself.

up altogether." "Why, of course, Miss. Judy," dark!" he exclaimed. "I Gideon answered suavely. "I've playing in Glasgow recently, and been thinking that over myself. I went for a tour in the High-I quite understand. You are a lands. Wait!" most independent young lady; but if you go on with your work, out a tune, note by note. It was

won't you be too tired?" "Lord, no! I can do anything, suggested the skirl of the bag-I'm as strong as a horse."

"As to Guarvenius, I'm sure then broke into a lament. he'll jump at you. He, is an "That will be lovely," artist, and would not think of Judy, all atremble. "And could money, anyhow. Believe me, I you put some water in, please?" admire your independence. Leave He nodded. His long, thin allow me the privilege, when you burst upon her strained ears music ed. are ready, of helping you in what- which, had she been less wretchever way I can."

Judy was delighted. She was played by a master hand. beginning to warm to the idea. position. He knew she was a made of lead. dancer, and she knew it, too.

Guarvenius arrived. He was a small, dapper man, with a delicate, artistic face, slightly feminine and yet strong. He had grey hair, growing back in a shock from his broad forehead, a small, high-bridged nose, deep-set, luminous grey eyes, and a really beautiful mouth, spoiled by a set of discoloured teethaccounted for, no doubt, by the never-absent cigarette.

Judy was never at a loss with any man, and the two got on famously. Guarvenius spoke perfect English in a voice with a sad, sympathetic cadence.

The lunch was served in a small, severe, dark-panelled room. It was very frugal. There were more flowers on the table than there was food. There was only water to drink. It was a strictly businesslike function but for the flowers, and there were flowers everywhere, all over the great apartment-heavy-scented flowers that sent fumes up into Judy's brain such as no wine could ever

"Now, Miss Judy, you must dance," said Gideon, when they had finished coffee. "I will show you the other room—they will have it ready. A friend is coming to play. What would you like

him to play?" He led Judy into another great room, with three tall windows over looking a garden. It was quite bare, with a polished floor. At one end was a raised platform with a full-sized grand piano on it. There was no other furniture. The walls were pule yellow, hung

with tapestries. Judy looked round her. She felt suddenly as if she had never danced in her life. It was a huddled little bundle of misery

that looked up at Gideon. "Oh!" she breathed. "Please leave me here for a little while alone, before anyhody comes!"

When Gideon had gone out, acceding sympathetically to her request, Judy stood by one of the tall windows. She took her coat off, but kept her hat on. She looked out on the garden below, but she did not see it. Somehow she seemed to see a picture of a place among grey-green mountains which she felt sure must be Alan Steyne's little house in Maine. There were fir trees and there was rushing water, and it was all very bleak and wild. A pale sur

eet. She found herself finishing breathlessly in a wild whirl sheer physical delight.

The music ceased as she stopped dead, her arms flung above her head.

There was no sound in the room. She tottered to one of the windows and held on to the curtains, swhying to and fro. The young musician hurried to her side. She took his arm, and he led her toward the two figures, Looking back into the room, the still scated. She felt him trembling a little.

The two other men rose from BANGKOK their seats at the same time. Guarvenius' sad voice sounded in young man, a foreigner, came in. her ears.

"Some northern country-Scotland, I think-and a girl of the hills waiting for her lover and "I have come to play for you, dancing the time away, Mountains HAIPHONG and water and fir trees-and at last the sound of the pipes coming | HARBIN over the hills tells her that he is near. Was that it, Miss Judy?"

Judy shook her head helpless-Judy was transfixed with amaze- KARACHI "I don't know anything about all that?

was frightfully, nervous as she nervous. M. Guarvenius is so Guarvenius was not a man to looked into his pale, heavy face. kind. Perhaps you would rather express more than a quarter of

Gideon," she, said hurriedly. "I fer it. I can follow you better. "Miss Grant certainly has am willing to take this game up, Will you tell me the theme-shall talent," he said. "She ought to

"I could see everything you said gentleman really thinks I am good, with excitement. And then she thing to me, though I couldn't he'll be willing to wait for his laughed, because it sounded like have put it into words. Have you | Batavia Judy shook her head. She was

> Guarvenius took her hand and "Ah, that is cold and bleak and patted it kindly.

> "My dear," he said. "if you work hard, you will be a dancer." She did not know that this was the highest praise he had ever He went to the piano and struck given in his life. "The music!" she whispered

"It was the music that did it!" "Oh, no, mademoiselle!" smiled the young musician.

She felt a little chilled. She feared that she had failed after all. They were very subdued, these two men.

But when Gideon and the musime out of it altogether. Fix it hands, hovering a moment over lest her alme with Guarvenius, up with Guarvenius yourself; but the keys, descended, and there she found that she had not fail-

(To be Continued.)

How to keep domestic servants There was adventure in it. This After a few moments he stop- was the text of a little speech man, who knew so much of the ped. The door opened, and Guar- made by Miss Margaret Bondfield, Bastien had been! It was a Judy could not speak or move. mistresses, she said, that it took perfectly genuine business pro- She was sure that her feet were two to make a happy household. It had to be remembered that times The music began. She tried to had changed, and those people THE HO HONG BANK, LTD out one foot out, but could not, who thought they could treat their THE HO HONG BANK, LTD put one foot out, but could not. who thought they could treat their She closed her eyes and saw servants in the way they could Alan's house again, as she im- before the war would find that agined it. The music began to they were beating their heads Authorised Capital ...... Straits \$20,000,000 against a wall. "If only do anything if she tried to move tresses would remember this," she by degrees. She clenched her continued, "and show a desire to hands and took a wild leap across co-operate with the Ministry of

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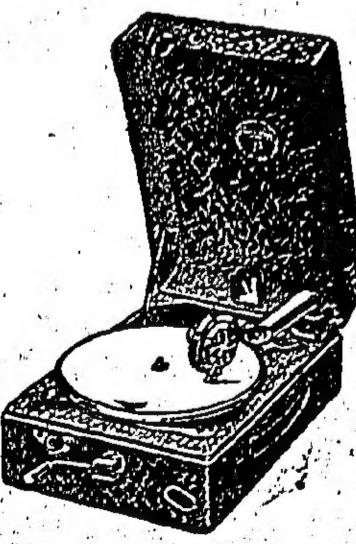
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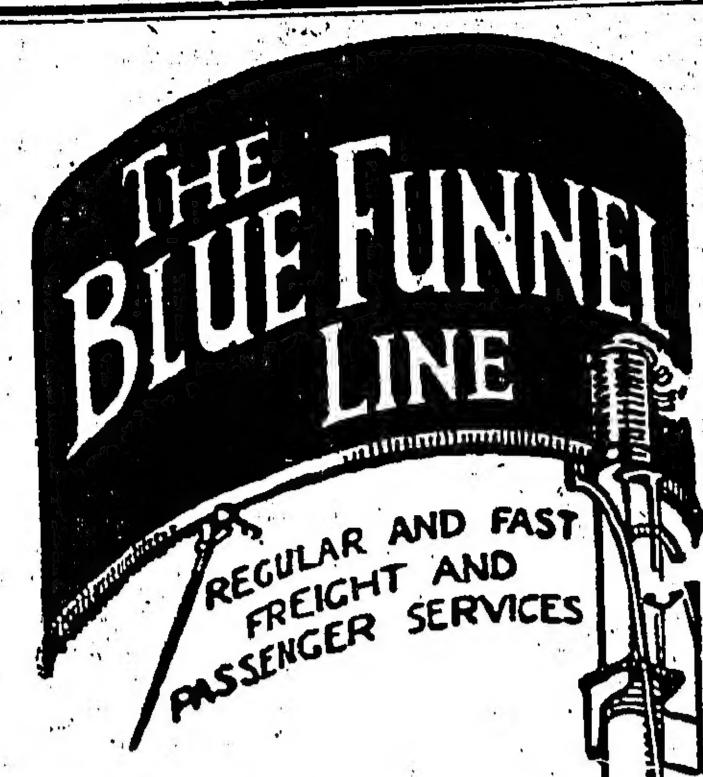
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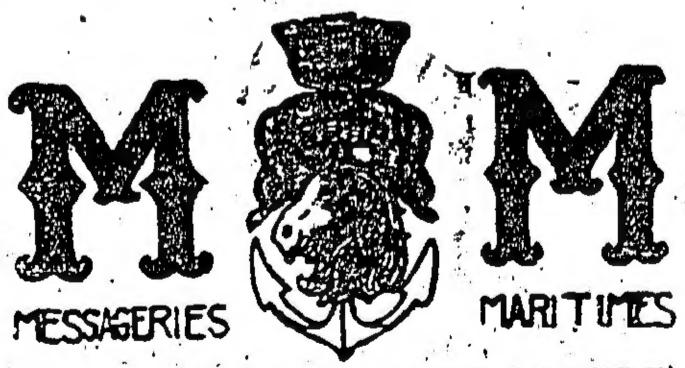
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um of two dollars drew two clans hammers, ironhooks and fighting into a war and disturbed the peace irons, and so thoroughly that before of the Nam Pak Hong quarter was long many were laid out. made on July 12.

ness of the Chinese commercial a curious way. quarter, it was stated, two distinct | A Chinese constable following in become monopolies in the sense that two rather seriously. they are held by people belonging . He then learned that there had to two different clans, the Yeungs been a fight, and while sending for humbler occupation of collectors of Station.

old boxes. a business transaction involving a scalp wound. the trifling difference of two dollars Of the number, eight were chargset up friction and threatened a ed before Mr. Butters yesterday set up friction and threatened a ed before Mr. Butters yesterday clan war. On two occasions the afternoon at the Central Police leaders had been before the Police Court. sented insurmountable obstacles.

Peace Parleys Fail. a tea-house in Des Voeux Road Rendall pleaded guilty to "disorder-Central, after pressing into service ly conduct." be easily allayed by such a proce- merely bound over.

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related by the Police yesterday, in Over a hundred must have been reference to a number of arrests concerned in the affray, yet the Police authorities were not aware In the diversity of callings grow- of the outbreak of trouble until they ing around the stevedoring busi- had their attention drawn to it in

side-lines have been established, the wake of a large crowd surging one being in connexion with the through Jervois Street, came upon manufacture of cases and packages the spectacle of about a dozen for merchandise, and the other wounded men resting on the roadbeing the collection of discarded side. Some were sitting and others cases and their resale to those who were standing, but it was apparent have a use for them. Both have that they were all injured, one or

having the monopoly of manufac- an ambulance, telephoned a report ture and the Lees retaining the through to the Central Police

The injured were removed to hos-Both clans appeared to have got pital, where one of them had to Both clans appeared to have got pital, where one of them had to along fairly well until lately, when have a number of stitches applied to

authorities endeavouring to adjust It was disclosed that there were their differences, but always the no police eye-witnesses of the matter of the two dollars had pre- affray, and all the evidence concerning "disorderly conduct" was that deduced from the condition of the

wounded men. On the 2nd instant, the repre- For the accused, Mr. Leo sentatives of the two clans met at D'Almada, Snr. and Mr. F.C.E.

Chinese detective as an arbitor. One of the accused was fined But it seems that the trouble had \$10, and bound over in a sum of gone too far and clannish senti- \$50 to keep the peace for six ments had been much too excited to months. The seven other men were

the matter over in the tenhouse, it Birmingham Corporation Tram that the experiments thad not yet was stated, there were secret pre- and Bus Deparment are experi- reached the Siege when it could Agents of both class went round light for trams, similar to those practicable, but he pointed out canvassing money with which to carried on motor-cas, to warn that an automatic stop light was finance the war that they could see traffic behind when the brakes are being fitted to every new bus sent was coming. Not only did they fully applied. An official stated on the road.

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Changsha is still in flames, and wholesale looting is continuing. Numbers nof Chinese shops and business premises, also the Standard Oil and Texas Oil Companies' offices have been burned. It is feared many citi-ens have been

Gen. Ho Chien's brother and other officials were brutally be-

The Communists are pursuing. the remnants of the Government forces westward. Ten thousand citizens of Changsha have fled Kelvinator refrigerating machines from the city.—Reuter.

Refugees Reach Hankow.

Hankow, July 30. H.M.S. Aphis arrived this morning from Changsha with foreign refugees, including three Catholic fathers and six Italian nuns.-

Ironsides May Join.

Shanghai, July 30. situation in Changsha shows no improvement. The city is in a state of complete chaos with the Communist bandits looting the city for the second or third time and proceeding with their reign of terror under the assurance that the Hankow and Hunan Commanders are powerless to organise any effective war against them in the absence of adequate troops. While the Kiangsi Provincial Government at Nanchang has telegraphed to Nanking that the city was not captured by Communists, who were defeated after approaching as near as the Nanchang suburbs, Kiangsi-Hunan frontier towns have been occupied and looted by Chinese bandits and riff-raffs who profess that they are disbanded "Ironsides."

#### Outlawry Increasing.

While there is a distinct possibility of the "Ironside", bandits committing many crimes on the Kiangsi frontier in the near future, it is said that they may join with the Communist bandits in Changsha in the establishment of a Communist Government to be run by a committee consisting of this amount it was found possible to three bandit chiefs. Pang Takwai has been proclaimed a dictator by his bandit followers in Changsha.

Sovietized Hunan.

The destruction by fire of General Ho Chien's residence, the mitted in order to pay for the work occupation by Communist bandits of all the Government offices and police stations as their lodgings, the destruction of a whole street by incendiary fires and the confiscation of much private property and goods are reported in earlier messages from Changsha.

#### PUBLIC MONEY VOTES.

(Continued from Page 2.) \$48,127.65 paid as interest on de-

posits of Amount still to be paid by Government ....\$ 72,179.14

The amount provided in the 1930 Estimate (head 31, sub-head 38). Deduct 4th call

made 28.1.30.. \$32,023 5th call made

Deficit on Vote .....\$ Amount still to be paid Government as

There was an unexpended balance on the vote in 1929 of \$45,740.20. Public Works Extraordinary: 30 New Furniture for all Departments. Purchase of two "Kelvinators" for Cape D'Aguilar W/T Station \$1,190. It is proposed to purchase two each of a capacity of six cubic feet for the two sets of quarters at Cape D'Aguilar Wireless Telegraph Stations at a cost of \$1,190. Ice is not procurable there. Funds are at present available under the above vote but as this unforeseen expenditure may later cause a deficiency a supplementary vote for the above amount

Public Works Department: Personal Emoluments. Appointment of Water Works Inspector from 1.7.30 to 31.12.30 at \$1,400 per annum \$700. The extension of the meter services and the importance of the early rendering of quarterly accounts necessitates the appointment of un additional Water Works Inspector. This supplementary vote is to cover Salary from 1.7.30 to 31.12.30.

Supreme Court: Library. Excess of vote \$450. .....\$ 900 Incidental expenditure for year .....\$ 200 Approved purchase of Halsbury's Statutes 600

Baiance ......\$ 100 Annual order ......\$ 550

Excess on yote .. \$ 450 The purchase of Halsbury's Statutes was unforeseen and depleted the vote, which is now insufficient to meet the Annual Order. The order has been reduced to £32 (as against £65 last year), but this will still occasion an excess of \$450 on the Sub-Head. A vote for \$450 is therefore requested.

Water for Dairy Farm. Public Works Extraordinary, New Kowloon:-Water Works. Filtered Water Supply to Dairy Farm Lots at Diamond Hill \$2,000.

Provision for this work was made in the 1929 Estimates under H. 31 S.H. 131 for the sum of \$20,000. Of spend only \$9,394.27 in 1929. draft estimates were submitted in the middle of the year and it was then considered unnecessary to include anything in the 1930 Estimates as it was anticipated the work would be finished before the end of the year. A Financial minute for \$2,000 is now subcompleted in the current year. under "Improvement to Tal Po Road

The above is to be met from savings junction with Castle Peak Road to North of No. 3 Mile Stone, \$2,000." Royal Observatory: Special Expenditure. Meteorological Conference \$252.

Printing expenses in connexion

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> R. OHL. Agent.

> > MANTUA

Hongkong, 29th July, 1930.

with a Conference of Directors of Far Eastern Weather Services held at Hongkong from April 28th to May 2nd 1930 to discuss the possibility of adopting uniform codes for visual storm signals throughout the Far East. This Conference was proposed at a Conference of Empire Meteorologists held at London in August, 1929, and at the International Conference of Directors of Weather Serices, held at Copenhagen in Sep tember, 1929; the proposal was approved and Mr. Claxton was appointed convener. When a vote was taken for other expenses in connexion with the Conference the cost of printing was

Charitable Services: Salvation Army Women's Industrial Home

The Salvation Army authorities have established a Women's Industrial Home for Chinese women and girls. The proposals have been examined by the Hon. Secretary for Chinese Affairs and he advises that the institution is worthy of Government support. A grant of \$200 per month is suggested to commence in August and a vote for \$1,000 for 1930 is accordingly requested. Total

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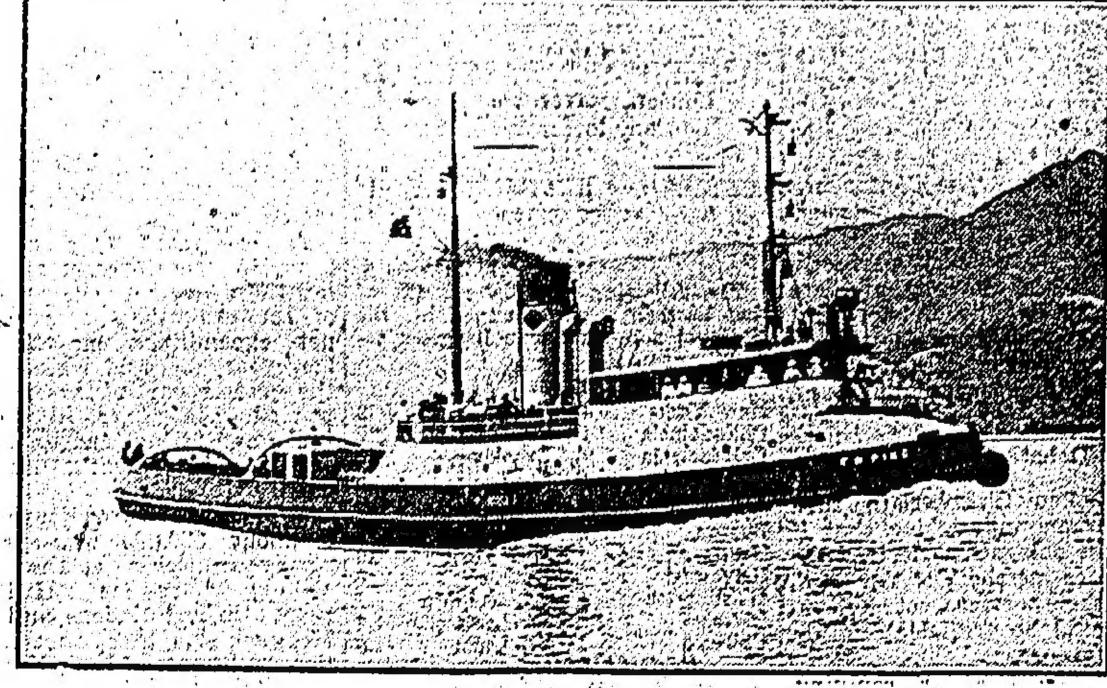
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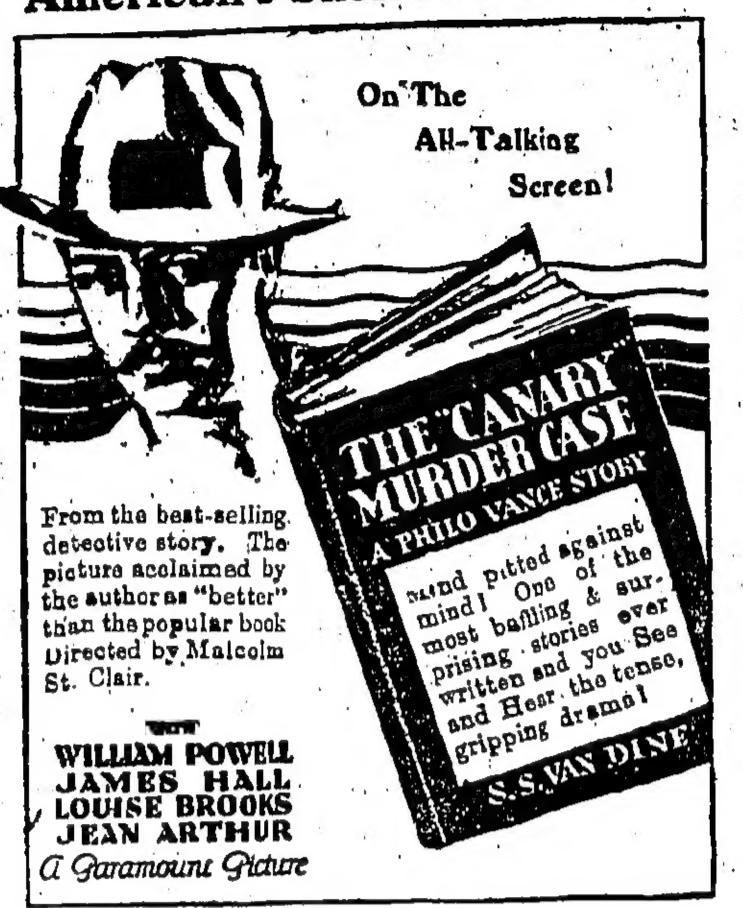
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NO SEAT IN INDIAN CONFERENCE.

PRESSURE ON GOVERNMENT PROVES FUTILE.

PREMIER ADAMANT.

London, July 30. The subject of the Indian Table Conference was again raised in both Houses of Parliament to-day. Lord Reading, in the House of Lords, supported by the Conservative leader, Lord Salisbury, asked the Government to give effect to the urgent representations made yesterday that Sir John Simon should be invited to be a member of the Conference.

Earl Russell, Under-Secretary of State for India, replied and said ed by the Government in consulta- lies over Baffin Island. tion with the Indian Government. The Statutory Commission had that landing conditions are not performed its task with a distinc- likely to be difficult. The R100 tion which would secure for its exchanged signals with transreport a prominent place in official Atlantic liners this morning. political literature. It had pre- British Wireless. sented its findings to Parliament. When the Conference now contemplated was proposed by the taken upon itself negotiations.

Government Adamant.

"We have widened this so that Parliament in its varied com- same day. position may be represented. The Government is certain it will be ship to-day mentions the sighting to the rebels in the event of the advisable to halt there and not to of the first steamer since leaving latter, securing any important add another section of representa- Ireland. All on board are report- advantage. tives to the delegates announced ed well with the airship behaving In Canton, things are normal. 'yesterday.

"The Government is confident that the representatives to be selected will be able to get for dicate that the airship will sight the Conference the fullest exami- land at three o'clock in the mornnation of every proposal brought ing, local time.-Renter's American before it, and that every oppor- Service. tunity will be taken to secure the most expert and well informed advice wherever it is to be found and that it will be available for Government and Parliamentary representatives. The Government is convinced that any departure from this decision will not ease the task or promote the success of the Conference," concluded Earl

Sir Austen Persists.

In the House of Commons the Prime Minister read a reply in similar terms in answer to a question by Sir Austen Chamberlain who, however, said answer hardly met his point which was that the Chairman of the Commission, Sir John Simon. should be present at the Conference so that his services could be made available to the Con-

Mr. Lloyd George said he understood from the Prime Minister To-day to Sat. that the Government left it open to summon anybody who had in order to aid the Conference in ception. coming to a decision. He therefore he would not close his mind to the ling, are totally destroyed. question of summoning their aid to an examination of this very the north-west of Kwangtung near grave problem. He understood that the Kwangsi-Hunan frontier. the Indian Legislature would pro- Thousands of people are now bably be represented by those chosen by both Houses to examine this problem.

#### Definite Decision.

The Prime Minister said that raised a totally different point. the Conference wanted advice and asked for it, it would get it the British delegates wanted advice they would get it. How it was to be provided was a matter on which he had not had time to go into details. The Conference would not meet until November. after the Imperial Conference, but he wanted to make it perfectly clear that the Government had come to the definite decision that the baseball matches played in the of June-August last year. The it would not be advisable to have other categories of delegates than those mentioned yesterday and to-day.

#### Debate Wanted.

Sir Austen Chamberlain then asked for an undertaking that if any of the delegations desired the presence of members of the Commission their services, not as members, should be available within the Conference.

The Prime Minister, replying, said he declined to go further than the considered statement he

had made. Ultimately Sir Austen Chamberlain asked the Speaker if he could have leave to move the adjournment of the House to-morrow to discuss the refusal of the Government to invite the Chairman of the

#### R100 MAKING FINE PROGRESS.

DUE TO REACH ST. HUBERT AT MIDNIGHT.

ALL WELL ABOARD.

London, July 30. The airship R100 continues to make good progress in her flight to Canada, A message timed noon, Greenwich Mean Time, gave her position 54.40 North 39.20 West, roughly halfway across the Atlantic. An earlier message about seven this morning stated that the vessel was having a good trip so far, and that the weather

At noon, when the ship's speed was seventy knots, she reported she had been two hours in a cloud after passing through drizzle. She reported everything O.K.

The Air Ministry this evening | xiety exists in that port. was then entering the region of furthermore, that an attack on the question and those involved in influence of a second depression, Kwangtung, probably via Wuchow it had been exhaustively consider- showing no grave vigour, which and the West River, is being pre-

Reports from Montreal state Chang Fat-kwei."

Arrival To-night, .

London, later. Government alone was to have Belle Isle, Nova Scotia. It is anti- alist forces. cipated that she will cross the There are also two loyal Canadian coast at eight o'clock divisions of Kwangsi troops under on July 31 (Greenwich Mean Colonel Li Tak-ying and General Time) and therefore should arrive Kung Shao-yih at present fighting at St. Hubert at midnight on the under General Chan Chai-tong,

splendidly.—Reuter.

Montreal, July 30.

RAINSTORM LASTS WEEK.

TERRIBLE FLOODS OCCUR IN KWANGTUNG.

MUCH DESTRUCTION.

Canton, July 30. News of terrible floods caused lasted for seven days has been received here from Yang-Kwang. It appears that after the fourth day of rain the river Lian Kwang King overflowed its banks into the streets of the town and the water rose so rapidly that the people were obliged to take refuge on the roofs of their houses. They had no time even to save

their personal effects and cattle. Furthermore, over 1,000 houses collapsed, with very heavy loss of expert knowledge of the matters to life. All the bridges across the be considered by the Conference river were destroyed without ex-

The crops in the whole region, asked the Prime Minister whether which were just ripe for harvest-Yang-Kwang is a small town in

homeless there and the price of food has risen enormously. It is stated that in the last

hundred years no such storm has been experienced at Yang-Kwang, the whole country-side being now desolate. Our Own Correspondent.

AMERICAN BASEBALL RESULTS.

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#### WUCHOW FEARS IRONSIDES.

FEELING OF GRAVE ANXIETY.

REBEL FORCES SAID TO BE VERY STRONG.

INVASION THREAT.

Canton, July 30. In connexion with the situation in Kwangsi, despite repeated claims of heavy victories by the Nationalist forces and of the practical extermination of General Chang Fat-kwei's Ironsides, travellers arriving here from Wuchow report that grave an-

It is said General Chang Fatkwei's Ironsides, together with the deepening depression in mid- Kwangsi rebels troops, are very Atlantic where she would en- much stronger than is admitted by counter favourable winds. She the Nationalist leaders, and, pared and organised by General

Doubtful Troops.

Further reports state that various Yunnanese troops have entered Kwangsi in the direction of Nanning, ostensibly to assist the Nationalist forces in the suppression of the Kwangsi rebels, It is estimated that at four but the general feeling is that Chairman of the Commission, with o'clock this afternoon the R100 these troops constitute a menace the consent of his colleagues, the was approximately 500 miles from rather than a help to the Nation-

but these also are regarded with A message sent out by the air- some suspicion and may go over

Business is working with Wuchow. though closed to the greater part Latest reports from the R100 in- of Kwangsi. There are considerable troop movements, many Divisions passing through the city on their way to Kwangsi, but actually the garrison at Canton is reduced to a small figure. Arsenals Active.

Heavy calls are being made on the arsenals here at present and demands for arms and ammunition are being received from all sides.

General Heung Hon-ping, Commander of the 62nd Division, now in Swatow, is demanding large quantities for bandit suppression in that district and on the East River; whilst heavy demands are also coming in from the General Headquarters of the 8th Route Army at Wuchow.

Colonel Man Sho-cheung, a by a disastrous rainstorm which special envoy of Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, has arrived in Canton from Nanking. After remaining here a'few days, Colonel Man wil leave for Wuchow, where he will be attached to the staff of General Chan Chai-tong.

New Military Hospital. A Military Hospital is to be established in Canton, on the petition of General Chan Chal-tong, Commander-in-Chief of Nationalist Armies in South China. A sum of \$600,000 has been granted for the erection of the hospital and a site has been selected near the Tai To Hill just outside the eastern suburb of Canton. Work on the new building is to be commenced immedi-

The Provincial Government Mint is working at full pressure to use up all its silver, of which it has a fairly heavy stock, before closing down. It was to have closed on the 4th August, but this has been prolonged to some date about the middle of August.-Our Own Correspondent.

COST OF THE WATER SHORTAGE.

A NET EXPENDITURE OF

A Sessional Paper has been issued by the Government regard-The following are the results, of ing the water shortage emergency net expenditure on the water emergency account was \$357,992, the greater part of this being expended., in general

tanks and fittings and on the hire

of water boats, launches and light-

Of the total expenditure a sum of about \$20,000 was spent on permanent works at the Happy Valley, Morrison Hill and Homuntin installations and at the Mongkok slaughter house installation. The cost of importing water and transportation was nearly

\$24,000. The Sessional Paper fully reviews the measures taken to deal The Speaker pointed out that with the emergency, it being statsuch a motion, under Standing ed that the steel and concrete Orders, should be moved now, but tanks were the most satisfactory, said he would consider the motion | the brick tanks giving a great deal on its merits when submitted .- of trouble through leaking and



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